THE WEATHER
Wichita Falls and vicinity: Tonight and Thursday unsettled, rising temperature.

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KATY TO SPEND FIFTEEN MILLION

INVESTIGATING SALE OF MORE THAN SCORE STOLEN AUTOMOBILES

MADILL, OKLA., Dec. 13.—State investigators here continued today to gather evidence regarding the sale in Marshall county of more than a score of alleged stolen automobiles, one of which they declare was found in possession of Sheriff John Glenn, and another held by the son of Madill's mayor.

Meanwhile Sheriff Glenn, County Judge Isaac Lewis and other officials and citizens of the county were protesting the quartering here of a national guard detachment and awaiting a response to a telegram sent the governor last night asking that the detachment be withdrawn immediately. The troopers, two officers and 10 men, were ordered here upon request of the state investigators who reported to the adjutant general that threats had been made against their lives.

A showdown in the case is scheduled for Monday when persons in possession of the alleged stolen cars have been ordered to appear in court and explain how they obtained them. They also are ordered to bring the cars along so as to determine whether their ... numbers have been altered or defaced.

G. F. Lynn of Madill, ... according to Blair Compton of the state highway department, that he sold the cars in question but refuses to state how he obtained them.

COMMISSIONERS ARE AUTHORIZED TO CREATE NEW COURT

AUSTIN, Dec. 13.—A county commissioners court has authority ... whether the population of a city warrants another justice court, to establish such a court and appoint a judge ... the supreme court held today in reversing the ... district court in the case of T. Williams vs. J. W. ... The case was instituted by ... justice court judge of precinct ... at Breckenridge for recovery of fees originating from the establishment of place No. 2 of precinct ... Williams was appointed judge of place No. 2 ... The decision ... legality of place No. 2 of the justice court.

COMMISSION IN GUARD DOES NOT DISQUALIFY A TEXAS JUDICIAL OFFICER

AUSTIN, Dec. 13.—Holding a military commission in the Texas national guards does not disqualify a judicial officer, the court of criminal appeals held today in remanding Archie Dailey to custody of Hill county officers in habeas corpus application. Dailey was charged with contempt for refusing to testify before a grand jury ... that because District Judge Horton B. Porter held a commission in the national guard he was without authority to empanel a grand jury.

DEATHS AS RESULT OF AN EXPLOSION IN CUBA MAY BE MORE THAN 30

HAVANA, Dec. 13.—Deaths from the boiler explosion which wrecked the Estralla sugar central at Cespedes, Camaguey province, yesterday may exceed 30 according to reports to the department of government. The condition of half of the 79 seriously injured is reported critical and two of them already have died. Workmen ... already recovered the known dead total ... and more than a dozen are believed still to be covered by the ... debris. The total number of dead and injured is estimated at 80.

CHARGE DEFENDANT DECLARED THE MEN SHOULD BE KILLED

MARION, ILL., Dec. 13.—State's Attorney Delos Duty in his opening statement today to the jury trying five men charged with murder in connection with the Herrin mine killings, charged that ... one ... a ... in ... with ... all the ... of the ... Hugh Willis ... the ...

COLD WAVE REACHES LARGE AREA OF U. S. MERCURY STILL LOW

DALLAS, Dec. 13.—Cold weather which swept Texas yesterday and last night was diminishing today and moving eastward the freeze not having extended to the coast, according to the Dallas weather bureau. Temperatures early today ranged from 28 degrees above at Amarillo to 66 degrees at Brownsville. At Abilene and Dallas the mercury fell to 30 degrees; Palestine 38, Taylor 40; Del Rio 42; San Antonio 44; Houston 48; Corpus Christi 50 and Galveston 52.

Weather forecasters predicted colder weather for ... Atlantic states with the exception of the Florida peninsula and ... disturbance on the California coast and the continuation of the sub zero and near zero temperatures in the northwest plain and middle west states.

In Chicago the thermometer early ... registered eight degrees above zero with a moderate wind and rising temperatures predicted ...

MANY WITNESSES BACK DARBY'S PLEA OF ALIBI, IN TRIAL

DECLARE DEFENDANT WAS IN OKLAHOMA ON NIGHT OF KILLING.

INABILITY TO READ ATTESTED BY RELATIVES

State Contends He Signed Confession In Which He Admitted Killing Whitman

Vernon ... was to take the witness stand ... late this afternoon it was learned in his murder trial.

Up to ... the defense had brought in not less than ten witnesses ... with the defendant on the day and night of April 8, 1921, the night on which J. W. Whitman was murdered in Wichita Falls and for whose death Vernon Darby was indicted.

A number of witnesses who were ... the defendant's father at ... law ... from ... Oklahoma ... that the defendant was in ...

Del Stricpher, one of the men in the caravan, stated that he slept with the defendant on the night of April 8, 1921, at Walters, Oklahoma, a wagon yard. The state tested him as to his memory and asked ... whom he had slept with on ... other dates ... as far as February ... 1920. ... time the witness answered but admitted that ... his testimony that he had ... the defendant on the ... night except his memory.

Berk Birney, another driver, told the jury that on the evening of April 8, 1921, the defendant ... and driver had gone into the country four miles from Walters and purchased a ... of oats. He testified that ... o'clock that night he ate supper with the defendant in a restaurant ... from the wagon yard. He also said that Vernon ... the wagon yard that night about 30 feet from him.

Miss ... Hester was called by the defense and she stated that she had received letters from the defendant but that all of them had been written by Vernon Darby's sister, Mrs. James. She also stated that there had never been any cross words between she and the defendant and that ... ever had had a ... as was stated ... alleged confession ...

The defendant ... stated that ... could not write or read ... Mrs. James wrote letters for her brother to Miss Hester ... Miss Hester.

In the face of ... the state alleged ... defendant Vernon Darby ... signature proven up as that of the defendant. ... Darby's legal adviser made a statement to the jury at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning immediately after the state had rested. The statement ... showed that the defense would be an alibi.

"Gentlemen of the jury," the attorney said, "we expect to prove to you that Vernon Darby, the defendant, was not in the state of Texas the night of this homicide, that he was outside of the state on the night prior to it and on the night following."

The jury was completed at 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. The ... Mrs. ... was the first witness. She was with J. W. Whitman at the time he was shot ... the night of April ... She said that ... the deceased had been ... that night and ... home the fire ...

Girl Describes Shooting

...

Confession Is Offered

"We were driving down Second street. Pearl was at the wheel then. He cried out 'There they go.' ... saw the man and Miss Hester. I knew that Miss Hester had turned and ... at the man had been the cause ... the girl that was ... on the ... just ... them."

... counsel for defense ... to show that ... alleged ... was not a free ...

GOMPERS ADMITS COUNSEL EMPLOYED TO ASSIST KELLER

DENIES ADVANCE KNOWLEDGE OF IMPEACHMENT PROGRAM

TELLS OF DISCUSSING BURNS APPOINTMENT

Testifies to Exhibiting Copy Of Report In Connection With Oregon Land Case

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, frankly told the house judiciary committee today that the executive committee of the federation had authorized the employment of counsel to assist Representative Keller, republican, Minnesota, in prosecuting impeachment proceedings against Attorney General Daugherty.

Mr. Gompers' statement was made in the course of cross examination by Paul Howland of Cleveland, personal counsel for Mr. Daugherty. He emphatically denied that he had first suggested the impeachment proceedings, declaring that he had not known of the introduction of the Keller resolution in the house until he read about it in the newspaper.

Mr. Gompers, called as a witness for the prosecution, told of his visit to Mr. Daugherty in July, 1921, at the latter's invitation at which the appointment of W. J. Burns as chief of the bureau of investigation of the department of justice was discussed.

The witness said he had shown Mr. Daugherty a copy of the report made in 1912 by Attorney General Wickersham to President Taft on Burns' alleged activities in the drawing of a jury in the Oregon land fraud cases in 1905 and that Mr. Daugherty had compared them ... brought to him by a departmental clerk.

"I told Mr. Daugherty," Mr. Gompers testified, "that it would be a public scandal and bring discredit to the department and the government of the United States if any such man was appointed to so important a position as was proposed for Burns and that as a man and a citizen I protested against it."

Wickersham Testifies

George W. Wickersham, attorney general under President Taft, who followed Mr. Gompers, denied that politics had entered into the pardoning of Willard N. Jones, convicted in the Oregon land fraud cases. Some members of the committee had suggested that the pardon was granted six or seven years after conviction in the lower court at the time of the Taft-Roosevelt political fight.

The former attorney general still ... rejected any suggestion that President Taft was moved by political considerations.

As to his own recommendation that Jones be pardoned, the witness said it was based solely on the official reports on the case alleging improper activities by Mr. Burns in connection with the drawing of the trial jury.

TO INSIST ON "RIGHTS" BEFORE THE COMMITTEE

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—Notice was served on the house judiciary committee today by Jackson H. Ralston, counsel for Representative Keller, republican, Minnesota, in the impeachment proceedings against Attorney General Daugherty, that he would insist on his rights before the committee even if he had to carry his fight to the house of representatives.

Mr. Ralston's announcement came after it had been denied ... certain newspaper articles relating to W. J. Burns, chief of the bureau of investigation of the department of justice ... that we could have opportunity to examine them.

The incident was closed and the hearing proceeded with a suggestion by Representative ... that the committee get along with its work.

...

PRINCE REGENT ILL

CROWN PRINCE HIROHITO

... today his temperature was ... centigrade, his pulse ...

ATTEMPT IS MADE TO POISON FAMILY LIVING AT BRANDON

FORT WORTH, Dec. 13.—J. W. ... his wife and their three children living at Brandon, Hill county, victims of an alleged poison plot yesterday, will recover, it was stated today. No arrests have been made but ... have been taken to the scene to trail the prisoners. The ... night to wipe out the entire ... poisoning potatoes. ... after eating them. Their lives were despaired of for a time but today all were improved.

A quantity of potatoes was left in a wagon which Fletcher had standing ... house Monday night. Some time during the night the potatoes were poisoned.

A part of the breakfast next morning consisted of potatoes taken from the wagon. A short time after the meal the members of the family including Fletcher were taken violently ill.

The bloodhounds were sent for in the hope they might pick up the trail of the persons who visited the wagon.

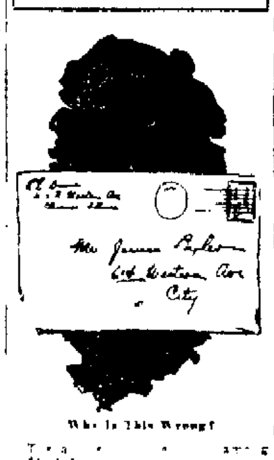
NO INDICATION OF PLANS FOLLOWING PACKER DECISION

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—Whether Armour & Company would proceed with ... the purchase of the ... assets of Morris & Company, one of its competitors among the big five packing establishments following the decision of the government ... proposal at this time had not been ... today ... any further developments in the matter ...

ARMOUR ... TO ...

...

BLUNDERS



What Is This Wrong?

CLEMENCEAU HAS SAILED FOR FRANCE; PLEASED WITH TRIP

FINAL ADDRESS DELIVERED IN NEW YORK TUESDAY NIGHT

DINNER BY COMMITTEE FOR DEVASTATED FRANCE

Repeats His Plea For American Cooperation In Short Address

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—His speaking mission ended, Georges Clemenceau, war time premier of France, sailed for home on the steamship Paris today, declaring he would return ... that only as a ghost. He appeared in fine health and ... good humor as he took his place on the upper deck to watch New York vanish behind him.

Just before the Paris cast off the Tiger ... Mrs. Charles ... both cheeks ... Mr. and Mrs. ... during his ...

The farewell message to America was given out ... Woodrow Wilson ... a farewell message ... at the last minute. ... exchanged between ... President Wilson and ...

"... affectionate farewell and to congratulate you on the ... from our people. All good fortune attend you.

Woodrow Wilson."

Clemenceau replied:

"I cannot but be most grateful for the kind message ... are mine. All your efforts ... I did not spare in my country. Those are the principles of the French people and ... with these words—France and peace is all. These are France's principles as well as those of America—My best wishes for your health and welfare and my kindest regards to Mrs. Wilson.

Clemenceau."

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—Surrounded by friends of France in a hall festooned with the intertwined flags of America and ... Georges Clemenceau last night came to the end of his ... mission ...

He appeared ... grand ball ... Hotel Pennsylvania before ... of the American ... for devastated France ... after he had ... the steamer ...

"I cannot find words," he began, "to express my gratitude for so kind a ..."

PLAN TO MAKE IMPROVEMENTS ON A LARGE SCALE FOLLOWING TRANSFER OF ROAD THIS WEEK

...

The improvement program ... completed next spring ... an expenditure of approximately $5 ...

KATY NORTH OF RIVER SOLD FOR $20,000,000

DENISON, Dec. 13.—The Missouri, Kansas and Texas ... north of Red river ... J. W. ... Hall ... of New York ... Francis ... W. H. Biedmenthal ... special master ... the sale.

LARGE MAJORITY AGAINST ILLINOIS NEW CONSTITUTION

...

MAJORITY OF 680,341 AGAINST CONSTITUTION

...

ORDER AN EXHAUSTIVE AUDIT OF BANK BOOKS

...

BRITISH SHIP AGROUND IN HARBOR AT B... N

...

CABINET OF FRANCE APPROVES ATTITUDE PREMIER POINCARE

...

STOCK DIVIDEND OF 1400 PER CENT FOR MACHINERY MAKERS

...

TWO HUNDRED PER CENT STOCK DIVIDEND DECLARED

...

MORE GAME WARDENS ARE WANTED IN TEXAS

...

FARM HAND DENIES ALL KNOWLEDGE OF MURDER OF COUPLE

...

ENLISTED PERSONNEL OF 86,000 FOR U. S. NAVY

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—An enlisted personnel ... for the ... year beginning July 1 ... for in the ... total ... approximately ... dollars less than ... reported to the ...

... the committee ... the arms conference did ... the number of types of ... war vessels and added that information had reached congress that already large programs are planned of vessels up to the maximum permitted under the agreement and that new and larger types of sub surface craft have begun to put in an appearance.

FIND NO TRACE OF FIVE YEAR OLD BOY LOST SINCE SUNDAY

JUNCTION CITY, KAN., Dec. 13.—Although searchers continued their efforts throughout last night no trace had been found early today of Marvin, five year old son of Mr. and Mrs. George Koepke here. The boy was lost late Sunday. Theories that the boy had been kidnaped or had been drowned in a creek were believed improbable because of the lack of reason for kidnaping and the thoraughdragging of the creek near his home.

ENGLAND NERVOUS RESULT DELAY OF FRANCE AND ITALY

LONDON ...

QUARTER MILLION DOLLAR FIRE IN RAILROAD SHOPS; ONE MAN BURNS TO DEATH

... the ... shops of the International Railway company ...

FOUR AUTOMOBILE BANDITS ROB TULSA, OKLA., COUPLE

...

BONDS FOR SPECIFIC ROAD BUILDING CAN'T BE USED ELSEWHERE

...

EXTEND RECONSIGNMENT REGULATIONS ON SUGAR

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TURKEY REFUSES TO ASSIGN TERRITORY TO THE ARMENIANS

By Associated Press

LAUSANNE, Dec. 13—Turkey refused at today's session of the near east conference to assign any special part of Turkey as a national home for the Armenians. Ismet Pasha ... would mean a new ... Turkey.

Ismet Pasha was irreconcilable on other points concerning the treatment of minorities in Turkey. Besides declaring Turkey would not set aside an inch of Turkish soil for an Armenian national home he said she would ... rights of ... international ... Constantinople ...

Lord Curzon warned Ismet that there ... where ... the world for Turkey if the conference ... broke down on the question of the ... of minorities.

After a long and unsuccessful discussion ... the question ... referred to a sub-committee.

DECISIONS RENDERED BY STATE SUPREME COURT

AUSTIN, ... The following proceedings ... Supreme Court:

Certified ... answered: Williams vs. ...

Judgment of ... appeals reversed that of district court affirmed: Black et al vs. Strength, county judge, et al, Harrison.

Relator remanded to custody of sheriff: Ex parte Phillip ... habeas corpus, Texas.

Applications for writs of error granted: Ogchia ... Stewart Drill ... Miller et ux vs. Hodges et al ... Pinto ... Amarillo ... May Tutor et al ... Amarillo vs. Ida M. Green et al, Potter.

Applications dismissed for want of jurisdiction: Fagin et al vs. ...

Motions for rehearing overruled: ... vs. City of Laredo, Webb.

Motions for ... Hammond ... of Harris, Harris. (Chief Justice ... not sitting.)

Empire ... and Fuel company ... National Surety ... State Bank of ... Hassie. (Chief Justice ... sitting.)

... Texas Pipe Line ... appear as amicus curiae.

... of Texas vs. Humble Oil ...

... adopted ... order ... of civil ... Montague.

WOULD BROADEN SCOPE ON NAVAL LIMITATIONS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13—A request that President Harding seek to broaden the scope of the naval ... agreement so as to include a limitation on construction of small ... of war vessels and on ... naval air craft, is included in the ... naval bill as reported today by the house appropriations committee.

... brought into the house the president would be asked to open negotiations with Great Britain, France, Italy and Japan for an agreement which would limit future building of all surface and submersible types of warcraft having a tonnage of ... or less and on all classes of army and navy aircrafts.

For ... of a warship ... permission ... the arms ... treaty, the appropriations committee proposed to make available during the coming fiscal year a total of $ ... or $14,000,000 more than the amount recommended in the budget, to be made up by a direct appropriation of $10,000,000 and $4,000,000 indirect out of cash to the credit of the naval supply account and small stores fund.

GROSS RECEIPTS TAX CASE OF HUMBLE OIL SET FOR JANUARY 10

AUSTIN, Dec. 13.—The supreme court today ... tion to ... Humble Oil and ... to recover gross receipts taxes and set the case for hearing on January 10. The court also granted a motion by the Texas ... company for authority to ... as amicus curiae in the case. The Humble ...

BOLSHEVIK RUSSIA KEEPING UP SAME LINE OF PROTESTS

LAUSANNE, Dec. 13.—Bolshevik Russia is keeping up the same pace in the way of protests at Lausanne as she set at Genoa. The Russian experts yesterday walked unceremoniously out of the meeting which was ... the Dardanelles and the Bosphorus as a protest against the alleged exclusion of the Russians from important periods of the straits negotiations. Later the Russian delegation officially notified the three presidents of the conference of Russia's unalterable determination ... abandon none of her rights ... the negotiations over the ... which directly affect her vital interests.

TEXAS MEMBERS GIVE LUNCHEON IN HONOR OF COLONEL ALVIN OWSLEY

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—Members of the Texas delegation in congress gave a luncheon at the house ... honor of Alvin W. Owsley of ... commander of the American Legion. Commander Owsley is ... to confer with other legion ... relative to the legislative ... which that organization ...

WOULD COMBINE WAR AND NAVY IN NEW DEPARTMENT

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—Consolidation of the war and navy departments in a department of national defense designed to function under a cabinet member with assistants in charge of the army and navy respectively has been definitely recommended to President Harding by Walter F. Brown, head of the commission appointed to prepare a plan of governmental reorganization.

The president is giving serious consideration to this and other recommendations submitted by Mr. Brown and may lay them before congress within a week or two, accompanied by a special message expressing the opinion of the administration on each of the changes suggested.

NOTED SPECIALIST DIES FROM BLOOD POISONING

NEWARK, N. J., Dec. 13.—Dr. Miller Royall Whitenack, 48, famous as a specialist in children's diseases and known to thousands as the miracle man, died late yesterday at the Presbyterian hospital, where he had been confined for more than six weeks suffering from blood poisoning.

Eyes tested. Faith Optical Co.—adv.

CONTINUE SEARCH FOR TWO AVIATORS LOST ON THURSDAY

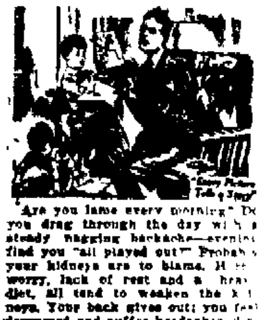
PHOENIX, ARIZ., Dec. 13.—Search for ... Marshall and ... army aviators ... today was ... the proportions of a long campaign involving a ... of the ... another ... Mexico ...

During the past five days the search for the aviators who disappeared last Thursday en route from San Diego, Cal., to Tucson ... has been spasmodic in nature ... Yesterday airplanes made further flights into Mexico and cavalry and infantry conducted a search in the mountains south of Tucson.

STAR-TELEGRAM SUSTAINS $15,000 FIRE DAMAGE IN BLAZE EARLY WEDNESDAY

FORT WORTH, Dec. 13.—Damage totaling $15,000 was done to the paper stores and press rooms of the Star-Telegram by fire at 1 a.m. today ... of the plant was not interfered with. The principal damage was to paper, about three cars of which was destroyed. Origin of the fire is not known.

Back Feel Lame, Sore and Achy?



Are you lame every morning? Do you drag through the day with a steady, nagging backache—evenings find you "all played out"? Probably your kidneys are to blame. Hurry, worry, lack of rest and a heavy diet, all tend to weaken the kidneys. Your back gives out; you feel depressed and suffer headaches, dizziness and kidney irregularities. Don't go from bad to worse. Use Doan's Kidney Pills. Home folks recommend them. Ask your neighbor!

Here's a Wichita Falls case: A. M. Green, retired farmer, 106 Lee street, says: "My back and kidneys got in pretty bad shape caused by a cold. My back was sore and I could hardly do my work. When I stooped, sharp pains caught me. I got dizzy and weak. I tried different remedies but found no relief until Doan's Kidney Pills cured me of the attack."

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60c at all Drug Stores

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$50,000 More in Dec.

Anderson's FIFTH Anniversary Sale

$50,000 More in Dec.

Special Anniversary Bargains

For Men

The ever increasing popularity of our Men's Wear Department prompts us to urge early shopping for all who desire the choice values in these apparel opportunities!

Men's Kuppenheimer Suits — $29.50

Values to $45.00 including Stylplus and Sonneborn suits of the same value and all in good patterns and styles ...

Men's $32.50 Suits — $19.95

(2 pants) neat patterns, good quality and styles. Very special for ...

Other Suits up to $39.95.

Men's High-Grade Overcoats—Special Prices $19.95, $24.95 to $39.95

No Fade Shirts

These fine shirts are not to be equalled anywhere at the price

98c, $1.39, $1.69 to $2.95

Men's Pajamas

$3.50 Soisette Pajamas in good assortment of colors in Christmas boxes — $3.15

$3.50 Outing Pajamas ... $1.75

Ties

Here you will find a very interesting assortment of smart ties in gift boxes. Priced from 79c to $3.50

Bathrobes

$10 Robes ... $8.95
$7.50 Robes ... $6.45
$6.00 Robes ... $4.95

Hansen Gloves

Real He-Man gloves, combining appearance and durability, specially priced for

$1.69, $2.69 and $3.15

Sweaters

Bradley Knit Sweaters for cold weather

$10 values — $8.95
$8.50 values — $7.45
$5.00 values — $3.95

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Silk Hosiery in desirable colors some with contrasting clox, others plain

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Prices to suit every purse

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All Those Silk Pongee Blouses on the Balcony

All sizes up to 52. Regular $3.50 to $5.00 values—choice ...

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Buy Men's Smoking Jackets, Bath Robes and Lounging Robes at Saul's Xmas Sale and Save the Difference

See Men's $1.00 Knit Ties elsewhere. Then come to Saul's and see those we are selling at 3 for $1.00

All Those Embroidered Outing Gowns — 79c

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Every Man's Suit and O'coat in Stock at Christmas Sale Prices — $25.00

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Equally Good Values in O'Coats

ON SAUL'S BALCONY

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THE LARGEST SHOE STOCK IN NORTHWEST TEXAS

—AND EVERY PAIR OF SHOES IN STOCK ON SALE 'TILL CHRISTMAS EVE AT

Discount 10% Discount

Men's all leather dress shoes $2.95

New shipment Colonial and novelty strap pumps—all at 10% discount.

Men's all-leather scout work shoes $1.69

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WILL ATTEMPT TO PROVE AN ALIBI IN HERRIN MINE CASE

ATTORNEY PROMISES TESTIMONY THAT MEN WERE NOT PRESENT

DECLARES KILLING WAS RESULT OF "INVASION"

Charges Prosecution Is Influenced By Illinois Chamber of Commerce

MARION, ILL., Dec. 13.—Testimony to show five men charged with murder in connection with the Herrin mine killings had no part in the rioting but were elsewhere at the time of the killings was promised by A. W. Kerr, chief counsel of the Illinois Mine Workers, in his opening statement to the jury in the first of the mine riot trials here today. The five men are charged with the death of Howard Hoffman, one of the [illegible] mine [illegible] in the outbreak.

Mr. Kerr declared the killing of the nonunion men was the result of an invasion of Williamson county by armed guards and the many acts of brutality culminating in the ruthless murder of three union coal miners.

He asserted Williamson county rose in the defense of its homes, aiding [illegible] the act of self defense [illegible] served notice on the [illegible] gunmen and upon those who still employ the American gunmen that this was not a safe community in which to send hired murderers.

The miners fought also to protect their union, he said.

The prosecuting authorities in Illinois, he said, were being influenced by a private organization composed of men of great wealth, the Illinois chamber of commerce.

Actuated by a desire for vengeance, he continued, eager to do anything that will help to destroy organized labor, the chamber of commerce is the organization that prosecutes in this case. "You and you alone stand between these defendants and this city for vengeance."

Describes Operations

Mr. Kerr described operations at the Lester strip mine owned by the Southern Illinois Coal company and stated the union had agreed to permit the company to strip coal but not to mine it. He declared the company broke the agreement and imported guards armed with machine guns, with high power rifles, with automatic police pistols, with all the most destructive firearms known to modern science.

He then gave an outline of 23 labor disputes in which he declared "hired gunmen" were used, beginning with the Homestead strike in 1892 and continuing through Cripple Creek, Colo., Ludlow, Mingo, the Michigan copper strikes and up to the present. He declared more than 250 workers have been killed in these disputes by gunmen who went unpunished for their acts.

The killing of Howard Hoffman was homicide and not murder, he continued. Some day and in some court room a jury will say that the time has come to stop the importation into peaceful communities of this type of men. "I believe that day will come in this trial. I believe that it is this jury that will immortalize itself by freeing all communities for all time from the sinister influence of the American gunmen."

Tracing the history of the miners union in Williamson county, Mr. Kerr declared the men sought to organize to better the condition of their [illegible] but were met at every step by the powerful forces of organized [illegible].

FORMER UNITED STATES MINISTER IS RECEIVED IN AUDIENCE BY CALIPH

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 13.—Charles R. [illegible], former United States minister [illegible], was received in audience by the caliph yesterday. Abdul Medjid said that Turkey looked instinctively to the United States for friendly guidance and commercial support and asserted that America's participation in the Lausanne conference was a good augury for peace.

VESSELS REPORT ROUGH VOYAGES RESULT STORM

VANCOUVER, B. C., Dec. 13.—Messages from vessels battling with the mountainous seas in the Pacific ocean have been received here. Blizzards were reported on the Bering sea. The Taitu Maru, 80 miles from Japan, wirelessed that lumber from her cargo was being thrown into the furnaces to keep up steam to fight the storm. The passenger liner Empress of Russia, 700 miles out from Victoria, on her way from the Orient, reported she was having the roughest voyage of her history.

HOW DOCTORS TREAT COLDS AND THE FLU

First Step in Treatment Is a Brisk Purgative With Calotabs, the Purified and Refined Calomel Tablets That Are Nausea0less, Safe and Sure

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ENGLAND PROVIDES MILLION POUNDS TO AID UNEMPLOYMENT

LONDON, Dec. 13.—A supplementary estimate for one million pounds sterling for the relief of unemployed was agreed to by the house of commons today toward the close of a 14 hour session prolonged by the tactics of the labor party.

The laborites had agreed to try to keep the house in session until it is prorogued Friday night in an effort to force the government to take further steps toward the alleviation of unemployment. Members of the party endeavored to get the issue discussed at every available opportunity during the session, but a motion for closure made by Stanley Baldwin, chancellor of the exchequer, at about 6:30 o'clock this morning was carried by a substantial majority. The motion was hailed with cries of "shame," "gag" and "scandal," while epithets of a more personal character were [illegible] at the occupants of the treasury bench.

The session will adjourn at [illegible] o'clock, was tinged with humor and bitterness.

"Is this a new game of patience we are learning?" asked a labor member of the speaker in the early morning hours.

"No, it's a little another game," replied the speaker with a laugh.

VETERAN OF FOUR WARS VOLUNTARILY RETIRES

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 13.—Colonel Robert H. [illegible], veteran of the civil war, Spanish American war, Mexican border [illegible] and the Indian wars, retired yesterday on his own application after more than 45 years of service.

FARM-LABOR MOVE WILL BE CARRIED INTO EVERY STATE

By Associated Press

CLEVELAND, OHIO, Dec. 13.—Delegates to the second conference for progressive political action today were leaving for their homes to perfect state organizations for the nomination and election of candidates either through primaries of old parties or by independent political action as set forth in the program of organization adopted at the two day convention here.

Formation of a third party was defeated at the closing session late [illegible] after a prolonged debate in which many speakers charged the republican and democratic parties as owned and controlled by Wall street.

W. M. Johnston of Washington, president of the machinists union, declared that much had been accomplished in welding together farmer and labor organizations for united political [illegible] and the [illegible] of setting up [illegible] all [illegible] short.

WOOLWORTH STORE HAS $100,000 FIRE DAMAGE

COUNCIL BLUFFS, IOWA, Dec. 13.—Fire which caused an estimated loss of $100,000 swept the Woolworth five and ten cent store here today and damaged adjoining buildings. [illegible] the safe [illegible] the [illegible] before the fire was discovered were [illegible].

ESTIMATE TEXAS COTTON YIELD AT 3,290,000 BALES

HOUSTON, Dec. 13.—The Texas [illegible] [illegible] department of agriculture [illegible]

PROCEEDINGS AMARILLO COURT OF CIVIL APPEALS

AMARILLO, TEXAS, [illegible] Terrell [illegible]

AUTHOR OF MELODRAMAS REPORTED SERIOUSLY ILL

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—Theodore Kremer, author of more than 20 dramas and widely known as king of the melodrama, is [illegible] in Dresden, Germany [illegible] was not [illegible].

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Velvetina Cream Lotion, regular 50c for	39¢
Velvetina Complexion Soap, regular 25c, 2 for	25¢
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La Creole Vanishing Cream, regular 50c for	39¢

SOAPS

Lana Oil, regular [illegible] cakes for	29c
[illegible] Toilet, regular [illegible] cake for	13c
[illegible] Bath, regular 10c [illegible] cakes for	1[illegible]c
Jergens Violet, regular 15c [illegible] cakes for	[illegible]

TALCUM POWDERS

Colgates La France Rose, regular [illegible] 2 for	[illegible]
Colgates Florient, regular 25c, 2 for	26c
Colgates Cha Ming, regular 25c, 2 for	26c
Melva [illegible], regular [illegible] 2 for	[illegible]
[illegible], regular 25c, 2 for	[illegible]

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[illegible], regular $1.50 for	89c
Elmos [illegible], regular $1.[illegible]0 for	89c
Elmos Ra Lo, regular $2.00 for	$1.19
Elmos Ra Lo Extract, regular $2.00 for	$1.19
[illegible] Doris Violet, regular $1.00 for	69c
Hazel's Field Violet, regular $1.25 for	79c
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Lowes Toilet Water, regular 7[illegible] for	49c
Lowes Toilet Water, regular 50c for	29c
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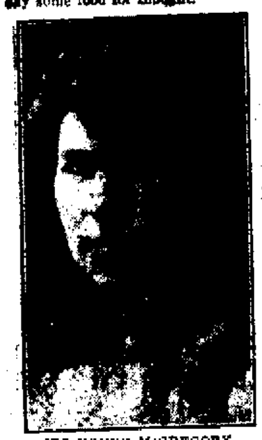
Mrs. McGregor's Report to Parent Teacher Association Tuesday Is Food for Thought for the Mothers

"The state of Texas ranks 34th in education among the states in the Union.

"Sixty-four per cent of our girls and 77 per cent of our boys in Texas never enter high school.

"And in 1920 the state of Texas allowed $14 per capita for her school children, while this year she allowed only $10."

Mrs. Homer McGregor, reading from statistical notes taken at the recent meeting of the Texas Congress of Mothers and Parent-Teacher Association in Waco, to which meeting she was the Wichita Falls delegate, gave the mothers at the Parent-Teacher Federation meeting Tuesday some food for thought.



MRS HOMER McGREGORY

Continuing the report, she told of the educational plans of the Mothers Congress of the state, and urged the local parent-teacher club members to educate themselves fully on the subject of school taxation, legislation for education, etc., and be prepared to insist on better school facilities and opportunities for their children.

She emphasized the fact that Texas, ranking first in many things in the Union, and high in wealth, was almost at the end of the line in education.

2,129 Members.

The meeting was held in the auditorium of the First Baptist church, with Mrs. John Kay, president, in the chair. It was the most energetic and interested get-together and business session the mothers' club federation has ever held, and there were representatives from every ward school present. Each club presented a report of membership and work for the year, the total membership numbering 2,129 women, with a total of $3,623.86 raised during the year for various school causes.

The Barwise Council, with twenty members present, won the $5 attendance prize offered by Mrs. A. H. Carrigan and the beautiful fern offered by Mrs. Kay for the greatest proportionate increase in membership, carrying off both honors amid applause. The Fannin and Bowie school clubs were close second and third.

Dr. McKeever Talks.

At the close of the regular business meeting a large group of visiting club women were admitted and about 200 women heard a good talk by Dr. McKeever, visiting Chicago psychologist, on "Child Psychology."

In the count of the council representations the following was reported:

Alamo Council, 33. (Mothers present).
Fannin Council, 35.
Bowie Council, 24.
High School Mothers, 2?
Barwise Council, 20.
Junior High, 16.
Carrigan, 3.
San Jacinto, 7.
Austin, 7.
Sam Houston, 3.

On the Program.

During the program two much appreciated numbers were furnished by the high school and the San Jacinto school. Miss Hazel Champion of the high school sang a solo, "And a Little Child Shall Lead Them," and Misses Bernice Haher, Lily May Kerr and Irene Conder danced the Highland Fling, with Miss Nell Kirkland at the piano. Both numbers were excellent and very much applauded.

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GOOD MANNERS

While the well-bred hostess always does her utmost to set at ease a guest who arrives late for a dinner engagement, yet tardiness on such an occasion cannot but cause her great inconvenience.

Therefore it is classed among the gravest of social offenses.

The reason for it must be an excellent one to constitute a real excuse.

Y. W. A. HAS BRIEF MEET TUESDAY EVE. AT CHURCH

The Y. W. C. A. of the Lamar Avenue Baptist church met Tuesday evening in a brief business and story session. Those who attended included Misses Evelyn Underwood, Leone Bryan, ..., Pearl Bryan, Pearl ..., ... Pharies, and ..., and Mrs. N. B. Rawls, leader.

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Mrs. A. W. Culp from Monte Vista, Col., came in Tuesday afternoon to spend Christmas with her mother, Mrs. L. W. Perham. Mr. Culp plans to come later and join his wife for a short visit.

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Brief News Items

Miss Lillian Randle is expected home from Southwestern University at Dallas this week. Misses Inaz and Jack King, former residents of Wichita Falls, now attending S. M. U., will be her guests during the holidays.

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Misses Edna and Olive Kay will come in this week from Dallas to spend Christmas with Judge and Mrs. John Kay, after attending S. M. U.

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Miss Adnah Orine Barnes, daughter of Rev. Dr. and Mrs. S. A. Barnes, is expected home from Southern Methodist University at Dallas, this week.

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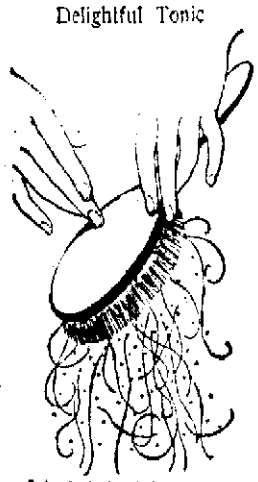

Only fools let hair fall out and dandruff stay. Neglect means a bald spot shortly. A little "Danderine" now will save your hair. This delightful tonic cleans the scalp of every particle of dandruff, tightens the hair-root pores, so the hair stops coming out and so the vitalizing oils, which are the very life and strength of the hair, can not ooze away.

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MRS. BARKER HOSTESS TUESDAY BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. E. T. Barker was hostess to the last ante-Christmas meeting of the Tuesday Bridge club at her home on Tenth street Tuesday afternoon, when the members were entertained with a Christmas party.

In the games, Mrs. N. C. Cant won high score and was presented a dainty hand embroidered guest towel, while Mrs. Frank Shackleford won the club cut, and a pretty bit of lingerie. The hostess served a salad plate of chicken salad, coffee, saltines and salted nuts to the following: Mesdames Jackson Price, Frank Shackleford, Sanderford, Hooper, W. H. Drummond, McNees, Parks, Cant, Bert Adrian, Gene Griswold, Culp of Colorado, and Pat Pope.

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AU FAIT CLUB WITH MRS. RALPH LAWING

The Au Fait Bridge club met with Mrs. Ralph Lawing Tuesday afternoon and enjoyed a number of games.

Mrs. C. F. Green won high score, and Mrs. Stanley Smith low, and both were presented pretty remembrances. The hostess later served refreshments to Mesdames Stadler, Pope, Davis, C. F. Green, Bill Henderson, R. C. Rockwell, Charles McCafferty, and Stanley J. Smith.

During a brief business session Mrs. Lawing was elected president of the club and Mrs. Rockwell secretary-treasurer. It was announced that the club would hold its meeting on next week with Mrs. Smith, on Monday instead of Tuesday.

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THURSDAY'S CALENDAR.

Players' club meets at 3:30 at the library.

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Council of Jewish Women holding bazaar at Central drug store all day.

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Bide-A-Wee Bridge club with Mrs. R. C. Brothertin.

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Volunteer class of the Central Presbyterian church will meet at the home of their teacher, Mrs. D. B. Read, 2610 Tenth, at 3:30.

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Mesdames Mark Moore, T. R. Boone and W. L. Parker entertaining with a reception at the Wichita club for Mrs. O. B. Kiel.

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Penwomen meet at the library at 3 o'clock. Mrs. Boaz is to make a report on plans for the Christmas luncheon.

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Thursday Afternoon Bridge club with Mrs. T. S. Tschabold.

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Mesdames E. A. Lyle and W. L. Dalton will be hostesses to the Home Mission Auxiliary of the First M. E. church, Seventh and Lamar, at 1534 Austin. Pack Christmas box.

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1922 Study club meets at Kemp Hotel at 2:30 Thursday afternoon.

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Little Trouble to Lengthen Skirts

By MARIAN HALE

In every woman's wardrobe these days is at least one frock, maybe more, useless for wear, because too short.

The fact that it misses the floor by 12 inches or so marks it as a last season's model. Rich material, becoming neckline and lovely shade all are nought.

Sleeves have all the liberty in the world—long, short, loose, close or non-existant.

The waistline may wander freely from the point where the waist really is to the hips.

But the skirt must toe the mark, at least in spots.

In spots—that's the point. It may be short if it's also long.

So the situation is by no means hopeless. To lengthen a skirt is no difficult matter if you have a bolt of ribbon and a bit of ingenuity.

You may add panels to the front, back, sides or to all of them and not only lend the illusion of length, and give the proper uneven line, but you can give yourself the altogether pleasant sensation of a new frock.

For the most serviceable type of frock, satin or moire ribbons the color of the frock are most used, but gowns whose activities are limited to afternoon and evening functions may be gorgeously decorated with figured and brocaded bands, in harmony or contrast.

A dark costume may be pepped up tremendously by a self-toned girdle, outlined at each edge with an inch band of color. Picot-edged ribbon, and the double-faced variety where the under side is of a contrasting color, are greatly liked for these purposes.

The girl with a taste for millinery makes a very attractive costume by constructing a turban to match her sash. The same gown may have a number of ribbon appliances, each one of which gives a different effect to the frock.

Indeed, rightly treated, your last season's frock may become this season's favorite instead of being relegated to an ignominious position at the back of the clothes closet, or bestowed upon a shorter sister.

ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS

NO SHOES FOR SQUIRREL

By OLIVE ROBERTS BARTON

"Why, how d' do, Scramble," the fairyman said pleasantly.

It was Scramble Squirrel who wanted the next favor from the Green Wizard.

He climbed to the top of the pine tree where the Green Wizard had his workshop and made his magic.

"Why, how d' do Scramble," the fairyman said pleasantly. "You're quite a stranger. I'm glad to see you."

"Thank you," answered Scramble uneasily and looking as though there was something on his mind. "I—I hope you're glad enough to see me to be willing to do me a favor, sir."

"Why, it just depends," remarked the Green Wizard. "It ... all depends on what you want."

"Well, you see it's this way," said Scramble. "Sometimes I like to go out o' nights and play checkers with my friends or dominoes ... ...

... that didn't make any noise and wake her up, might help some."

"Oh, I see, I see," answered the Wizard wisely, shaking his head and putting his finger-tips together.

"Will you?" asked Scramble anxiously.

"I'll have to think," answered the fairyman. "I'm not sure that I can. Did you say you went out alone o'nights?"

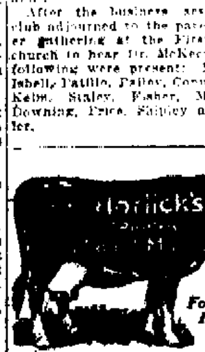
"Why, yes!" answered Scramble. "You see ... always ... ... and ironing and cooking ... all day, she has ..."

... (To Be Continued.) (NEA Service)

STANDARD CLUB MEETS KEMP LIBRARY TUESDAY

The Standard club voted to adopt a family for Christmas, at its meeting at Kemp library Tuesday afternoon, and Mrs. J. C. Shipley, presiding over the business session, appointed Mrs. Gatzler, Mrs. C. E. Bailey and Mrs. Wilson a committee to get in touch with the family to be aided.

After the business session the club adjourned to the parent-teacher gathering at the First Baptist church to hear Dr. McKeever. The following were present: Mesdames Isbell, Pattillo, Bailey, Conn, Wilson, Kelm, Staley, Fisher, McConnell, Downing, Price, Shipley and Gutzler.



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BUSINESS WOMEN CLEAR AROUND $100 ON BAZAAR; HEAR DR. W. A. M'KEEVER

Committee chairmen for the carnival-bazaar of the Business and Professional Women's club Saturday night reported at the Tuesday meeting that around $100 had been cleared on the entertainment.

The reports were very incomplete, however, and it was thought that the proceeds might exceed $100.

A number of visitors were presented at the meeting, following supper, and several new members added to the rolls. After the introductions and the brief business session it was announced that the club and its guests would repair to the cafeteria, where chairs had been arranged for an audience for Dr. William A. McKeever, Chicago psychologist. Dr. McKeever made about an hour's address, which was especially well received.

Announcement of his series of lectures on the new psychology and psycho-analysis was made, and a score or more of the club members signed up for the course, which begins Wednesday evening at the National Business college.

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EIGHT TABLES OF GUESTS ENJOY "42" TUESDAY EVE

Eight tables of guests enjoyed a delightfully planned Christmas "42" party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Harvey on Tilden street Tuesday night, when the Tuesday Evening Forty-Two club was entertained at its regular weekly meeting.

The living room suite was bright with Christmas decorations, with autumn leaves, mistletoe and beautiful masses of roses adding to the attractiveness of the prettily lighted rooms. Several hours were spent at the games, after which the hostess served a salad plate with fruit salad, fruit cake and coffee, the Christmas theme carried out in the tiny lighted Christmas candles on each plate.

Those who were present included Messrs. and Mesdames Ira G. Craig, Parker Simison, J. J. Deberry, P. A. Martin, Charles Pridgen, O. W. Harvey and J. Pat Pope; Mrs. Charles Pogenpohl and J. A. Glabb, members, and Messrs. and Mesdames Charles Cook, Arthur Johnston, P. B. Cox, E. T. Barker, Hugh Porter, A. L. Weisenborn and G. L. Shapard and Judge and Mrs. Rodgers, guests.

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CENTRAL PRESBYTERIAN MISSION CIRCLE MEETS

Circle Two of the Central Presbyterian church auxiliary met with Mrs. S. L. McFadden Tuesday afternoon in a foreign mission study. There was a good attendance and an especially interesting lesson.

Those present included: Mesdames Mary Edmiston, D. B. Read, T. N. Colligan, Burk Taylor, E. S. Goodner, Johnson, J. C. Jopling and McFadden.

Mirrors for the home at Decorators Co., 715 Ninth street—adv.

... situation is one of the worst ever experienced, little rain having fallen in the last six months. One colliery already has suspended because of the scarcity of water and it is feared others will have to do so unless there is rain or snow soon.

PRAIRIE OIL COMPANY INCREASES ITS CAPITAL

INDEPENDENCE, KAN., Dec. 12.—Stockholders of the Prairie Oil and Gas company at their annual meeting here today ratified a capital stock increase of 200 per cent payable to stockholders of record December 20.

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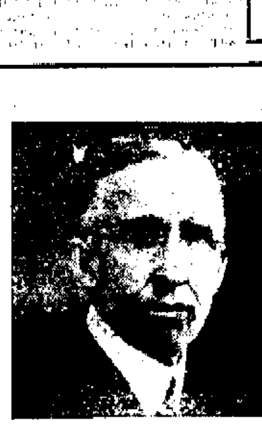

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RESPECT FOR LAW IS URGED BY THE SPEAKER

Compliments Rotarians For the Good Example Set In Civic Matters.

VERNON TEXAS Dec 13—Judge W D Berry senior member of the firm of Berry Stokes and Killough attorneys of Vernon addressed the Rotarians at their weekly luncheon at the Bailey hotel Tuesday noon Judge Berry spoke on the subject The Cooperative Spirit and he made a great impression on the club members The president of the club expressed the appreciation of the members to Judge Berry for his speech to them and stated that the Rotarians were glad to hear talks along the line of the address made by Judge Berry

Judge Berry spoke in part as follows All great business enterprises are built along the lines of cooperation Cooperation is necessary before any business can be a success The success of our great corporations like the big steel interests the big oil interests and the large banking institutions of New York City has been brought about by the cooperative spirit

The greatest scheme and plan of cooperation and one that would have meant more to the peoples of the earth than anything presented during the past few centuries was the plan of the league of nations presented by that matchless statesman Woodrow Wilson I do not hesitate to say that had it been adopted that we would at this time be fifty years ahead of where we are at this time It probably would have needed some amendments but these could have been worked out and could have been made to meet the needs for which it was planned and yet satisfied those who opposed it But for the selfish politicians who were jealous of the plan and the work of President Wilson we would now be enjoying the good times that would have followed our joining the league of nations and accepting our responsibilities as we should have done Had this been done we would have settled in six months our foreign trade relations and our exchange rate and intricate problems that are even at this time baffling our statesmen

Farmers at this time would have a market for their crops and where there are now low prices for farm products there would be a demand for them even greater than could be supplied

Law Enforcement

We have a great government and a great constitution but lack of respect for our laws is the greatest menace we have to face at this time I have no patience for parties who disregard some of laws and still think they are acting the part of good citizens We may have some bad laws and if we have we should obey them until they are repealed and necessary steps should be taken to repeal them and not to show our dislike for the such laws by violating them Some good citizens will violate small laws such as the Sunday laws and game laws and they violate them without regard to the example they are setting others and without the knowledge that to violate these laws makes it easier to violate other laws In this way they are disregarding constituted authority Then when we disregard our laws we disregard the rights of others and then follows the disregard of our own obligations

I can remember the time when a cold check was never heard of but now it is a common thing I am sure that some of you business men find that you get several cold checks in the course of your business each week or month Public opinion could [illegible] to some [illegible] put the [illegible] a man who [illegible] walk the streets or [illegible] until he had paid his [illegible] made an honest effort [illegible] at least he would not [illegible] then with cold checks [illegible] that [illegible] demand an ob[illegible] the laws are respected and enforced

Judge Berry spoke of the cooperative spirit in the Vernon churches and friendly rivalry in the various Sunday schools of the city and of the good that would result from good churches and good Sunday schools He spoke of the important factor the Rotarians could be to Vernon by the good example they set in observing the laws and making the town clean and attractive also of being friendly to strangers and making Vernon a place where people want to come and make their home

J E Rossman manager of the Vernon Electric and Ice company which company has bought out the Texas Public Service company made a short speech He stated that he was sending on each of his envelopes a short statement of Wilbarger county's fine $3,500,000 cotton crop and that he wanted a slogan for Vernon and would use it if he had one as it would be a great benefit for the town

The Rotary club indorsed the poultry show that will be held in Vernon soon

A meeting of the board of directors of the Rotary club was held at the Bailey hotel after the luncheon

Book [illegible] a present worth while Decorators—adv

$1 Buys 24—

Distribute Them on Christmas Day

Little bright red packages packed full of luscious little seedless Sun-Maid Raisins—every Kiddie wants one on Christmas Day

Buy a carton at the nearest store — for $1, the special Christmas price

Distribute them among the children Then *let them* give a little package to each of their little friends

A delicious, healthful, natural sweetmeat that's both good and good *for* them

Let's get the carton now—2 dozen brilliant little boxes, all for $1—less than 5c each.

Little Sun-Maids

"Christmas Raisins"

5c Everywhere

COOPERATIVE PLAN IS SPREADING OVER SOUTHWEST STATES

MARKETING IDEA INCLUDES PRACTICALLY EVERY LINE OF ENDEAVOR.

REPORT COVERS TEXAS OKLAHOMA AND LOUISIANA

Texas Has Made Largest Growth Of Any of Southwest States In the Work.

AUSTIN TEXAS Dec 13—The past year has seen some of the widest growths in history of the cooperative marketing idea in southwest states especially in Texas according to a report prepared by J Austen Hunter assistant state marketing agent for the National Association of State Marketing Officials made public today The report covers the states of Texas Louisiana and Oklahoma

The cooperative idea has spread during the year to practically every line of farm endeavor according to Hunter's report including grain wool mohair peanuts poultry and other secondary farm crops Texas it is declared has made probably the largest growth of any of the southwest states in this work

Among the cooperative organizations established in Texas during the year the following are mentioned Wool and mohair association hay producers association alfalfa growers marketing association great growers association watermelon growers association sweet potato growers exchange onion growers' exchange, dairymen's association grain sorghum growers association Ribbon Cane syrup association cattle raisers and producers commission and a pecan growers exchange The organizations are credited to the Texas Farm Bureau Federation A southwestern poultry producers association also is in process of organization It is noted The latter body is credited especially with its efforts along financing poultry producers

The Farmers Educational and Cooperative Union of Texas is given as another organization which has accomplished much during the year in cooperative work Cooperative operation of gins warehouses and mills and marketing of crops from such establishments are credited to this body

Chief among the cooperative organizations noted in Louisiana during the year is the rice growers association along marketing and milling lines The Lespedeza Seed Growers Association of Louisiana is reported to have marketed cooperatively [illegible] 000 bushels of seed to ten different states Organization of a strawberry growers association and sweet potato Irish potato cane syrup wool cane and truck crop associations are in process of organization Plans are under way for a cotton association also

In Oklahoma the chief cooperative work of the year has been along cotton lines it is stated

RED CROSS TO ELECT DIRECTORS NEXT TUESDAY

The Wichita county chapter American Red Cross will hold its annual election next Tuesday at 2 p m in chapter headquarters in basement of the court house

The following names will be voted on for members of the executive committee

T H Smock I H Roberts J F Collins G N Mulford Frel C [illegible] Burton Stanton Mrs M M Adickes F J Woodward of Burkburnett Mrs Dixie Brown of Iowa Park Mrs George LeBus of Electra

PRODUCTION OF KAFIR AND MILO REPORTED LIGHT

HOUSTON TEXAS Dec 13 Kafir and milo production is light this year where grown in about 3 counties of Texas according to report made public today by the division of crop estimates bureau of agricultural economics United States department of agriculture

The crop in Hardeman was gathered in good shape where an 80 per cent crop resulted on account of drouth The early milo in Mitchell county is reported very good making 1,000 pounds to 2,000 pounds to the acre Besides [illegible] crop is good as is Milo [illegible] but the latter did not do [illegible] as large [illegible] Very little was grown in [illegible] county little crop was good The yield in [illegible] county is reported to be fair

The [illegible] are threshing from eight to 10 bushels with the average asked [illegible] lies El Paso county produced [illegible] unless [illegible] are raised [illegible] other [illegible] the are too expensive [illegible] Reports from Gillespie county [illegible] of fairly good crop which however would have more than doubled [illegible] moisture had been present [illegible]

Kafir and milo are [illegible] grain rops that can be depended [illegible] in Hemphill county [illegible] is reported [illegible] 30 bushels are raised to the [illegible] this year [illegible] bushels [illegible] the average [illegible] [illegible] shipping [illegible] for these [illegible] the [illegible] season [illegible] correspondent [illegible]

[illegible] are [illegible] five per cent [illegible] one fifth of ton to acre Irion average crop Hockley 50 per cent range 25 per cent grain Lipscomb large acreage very little to be threshed but lots of good rough feed Hansford 80 per cent Barren satisfactory harvest [illegible] Hutchinson [illegible] Lubbock one half ton to ton [illegible] [illegible] Tenio [illegible] bushels to acre Scurry [illegible] fed crop grown Zavalla small acreage Childress crop very short because of summer drouth and extremely hot weather San Patricio fair Milam very little Austin [illegible] pounds to the acre

FORMER MASTER MECHANIC OF DENVER DEAD IN ILLINOIS

Word was received here Wednesday of the death Tuesday of [illegible] Dawson formerly master mechanic for the Fort Worth and Denver at Childress

Since leaving the employ of the railway company several years ago Mr Dawson had resided with his family at Greenwood Miss near which place he owned a plantation He was visiting in Illinois at the time of his death which resulted from a hemorrhage

Mr Dawson had a number of friends in Wichita Falls

VERNON PARTY RETURNS FROM HUNT AND FISH

VERNON TEXAS Dec 13—J W Wheat [illegible] of the B & W Drug company of Vernon and J D Killough returned from Lake Pauline six miles west of Vernon where they went Monday afternoon duck hunting They report that they killed [illegible] ducks and brought back a nine and one half pound channel cat fish which they caught with a hook and live bait

CHARLIE ITEMS

[illegible] Beverly [illegible] in Henrietta

Miss Jewel Staple visited Miss [illegible] W[illegible] Tuesday

Dan [illegible] of [illegible] Okla who has been visiting here has returned home

James [illegible] visited in [illegible] Tuesday

Miss Jewel Hawk of [illegible] visited Miss [illegible] Lambert Sunday

[illegible] Saturday [illegible]

Miss Martha [illegible] visited Miss [illegible] Tuesday

[illegible] Edwards has returned from Amar[illegible] He has been attending [illegible]

Mr and Mrs T M [illegible] were Temple visitors Monday

Misses [illegible] Nina Lee [illegible] and [illegible] White were in Wichita Falls Saturday

Sidney Copher Wesley Biffle and Ray [illegible] were in Temple Monday

Wil[illegible] and Everett Davis were out from Wichita Falls Thursday evening

Mrs C M Meador and Miss O C Thomas were in Wichita Falls Monday afternoon

H Tucker visited Mr and Mrs [illegible] Sunday

Mrs J W [illegible] of Clara spent the week end here

Mr and Mrs [illegible] M Meador were Wichita Falls visitors Monday

Mr [illegible] and M A Smith were [illegible] Friday

M[illegible] W[illegible] Wolf visited Miss Mae [illegible] Sunday

Miss [illegible] and Miss Gussie [illegible] were in Petrolia Saturday

Mr and Mrs C [illegible] of Long [illegible] have returned home

Mr and Mrs [illegible] Copher have returned

[illegible] Murray was in Temple Monday

Mr and Mrs Charlie Jones visited Mr and Mrs O Ferguson Sunday

[illegible] Glasses fitted Faith Optical Co

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Entire Stock of Dresses Is Included in This Great Sale

For street wear for afternoon affairs, for the dance or for any other occasion of the day or night Satin Cantons, Plain Cantons, Silk Crepe Satin, Velvets, Brocades, Lace Trimmed Silks, Wool Twills and novelty fabrics. All included at the following prices.

$32 50 Dresses on sale	**$21.85**	$85 00 to $95 00 Dresses	**$63.85**
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$45 00 to $49 50 Dresses	**$34.85**	$125 00 Dresses on sale	**$89.85**
$55 00 to $59 50 Dresses	**$43.85**	$135 00 to $150 Dresses	**$97.85**
$65 00 to $69 50 Dresses	**$53.85**	$169 50 to $175 Dresses	**$119.85**
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Up to $29.50 Hats **$13.95**
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Hats that were up to $18.50 now $8.95
Hats that were up to $14.50 now .. $5.00

Women's Wool Slipover Sweaters Special $1.95

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Men's $7 bath robes, plain and bordered, blanket cloth robes **$4.95**

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DEMOLAY CHAPTER WILL INITIATE BIG CLASS ON THURSDAY

On Thursday evening, Hope chapter order of De Molay, junior Masonic order, will hold one of the best ceremonials ever put on by the local chapter, when about 70 or 80 boys will receive the initiatory degrees of the order. The degree team has been working hard of late, and will be able to give the work better than it has ever been given before, it is promised.

Not only local candidates will be taken into the organization, but also boys from Henrietta, Seymour, Electra, Iowa Park, Vernon and other cities will be given the degrees. These number approximately 80 boys.

The patrol will make its initial bow to the chapter at the ceremonial with a few short and snappy drills. Although small, the patrol members have been drilling regularly for several months, and under the able leadership of Captain Lawrence Rollins will be prepared to take an active part in the work.

Immediately after the ceremonial an election of officers for the coming three months will be held. The installation will take place right after Christmas with a social event that will end the first year's program for Hope chapter.

Master Councillor Will McClure announces the schedule of the evening as follows:

6:30—All candidates report to the scribe in the library.

7:00—All members of the degree team meet in the Blue Lodge room.

7:15—All members of the patrol report for extra ceremonial work.

7:20—Officers of Hope chapter hold short business session in the east room.

7:30—First degree.

8:30—Second degree.

9:30—At this hour something different in the form of a surprise will be give to Hope chapter.

Many out of town guests will be present for the ceremonials, and among these will be several leaders in the De Molay work.

Admittance will be by membership card only. All Master Masons are cordially invited.

AS A MECHANIC BUSTER IS A GOOD TOE DANCER

BUSTER KEATON

From an apprentice blacksmith down to an erratic automobile mechanic, Buster Keaton, solemn-visaged comedian of the silver screen, tumbles his way through two reels of fun in "The Blacksmith," his latest comedy, a First National attraction at the Empress for the last half of the week.

As in previous efforts young Keaton keeps the humor in "The Blacksmith" revolving at high speed. The comedy itself bears that stamp of artistic slapstick which marks all of Buster's smile reels. Through the atmosphere of the blacksmith shop where Buster demonstrates his inventive genius to the final amusing windup, Buster Keaton is shown in his best mirth-getting style.

The picture has a plot in which Buster anxious to win the favor of the fair young lady in the picture is forced to go through many acrobatic whimsicalities in order to overcome the antipathy the young lady has shown for him. He effects the rescue of the girl, manages to elude those who are seeking vengeance, because of his innocent pranks in previous scenes and gets married, thereby giving the film a happy ending. The picture was written by Buster Keaton and Mal St. Clair.

HI-Y CLUB TO GIVE JOINT BENEFIT PROGRAM AIDED BY GIRLS' CLUB

The Hi-Y club of the Wichita Falls high school met at their club rooms at 1001 Lamar street Tuesday evening for their regular weekly meeting. A short program was enjoyed and business was discussed.

It was planned by the club to give a joint program with the Girls club in the auditorium of the high school soon, for charity benefit. A small admission will be charged.

It was also decided to divide the club into four groups with captains over each of the sections. This is to aid the attendance, for the group having the least per cent at the end of the year will bear the expense of a banquet for the other groups. The groups will take charge of the programs, each having this responsibility once per month.

The Bible study for the meeting was "Gambling" and the evils and meaning of gambling were brought out. A two round boxing match between two of the members was also featured in the meeting.

INTERESTING PROGRAM IS STAGED BY SPEAKER'S CLUB

An interesting program was held at the weekly meeting of the high school Speakers club Wednesday morning, with the largest attendance had this year.

The program consisted of a talk: "What Is Oratory," by Leon Nance; "Types of Oration," by Miss Gladys Fowler; a musical reading by the Cain Sisters; a short story, "The Indian's Revenge," by Miss Virginia Howard; "Wit," by Orion Daniels; the story of the life of Oliver Wendell Holmes by Arnold Thom; a reading, "Union and Liberty," by Miss Irene Clark, and a debate: Resolved, that the present system of studying in the high school is not adequate. The affirmative was upheld by Mercer Paris and the negative by Courtney Howell. The decision of the judges went to the negative.

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BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION ADDS TO CAPITAL STOCK

At a meeting of the stockholders of the Wichita Falls Building and Loan association Tuesday afternoon the capital stock of the association was raised from $2,000,000 to $4,000,000. Officers and directors who served during the past year were reelected for 1923 and plans made to meet the demands of the building program for the coming year.

The assets for the association showed an increase of approximately $119,000 over last year or something over 400 per cent, the assets for the year 1922 were $140,000 against only $21,000 for 1921. The third semi-annual dividend of five per cent since the organization of the company was declared by the stockholders at the meeting Tuesday.

The building and loan association was organized in this city only eighteen months ago and has enjoyed a remarkable growth, the $2,000,000 capital stock of the company has already been subscribed and the building plans for the following year made the $2,000,000 increase in the capital stock advisable. Since the organization the company has enabled over 100 families to own their homes. The plans for the following year are on a big scale and the association expects to play a large part in the building of the city in 1923.

The officers who were reelected for the coming year are C. W. Reid, president; N. H. Martin and Wilkie Talbert, vice presidents; D. A. Lundien, secretary; F. M. Mann, attorney, and W. C. Hamilton, special representative.

The directors are C. W. Reid, N. H. Martin, J. W. Talbert, D. A. Lundien, F. M. Mann, P. P. Langford, C. C. Cabiness, L. R. Buchanan, Pat M. Simmons, C. H. Reid, W. W. Andersen and H. O. Cravens.

Children's books at the Decorative Co.—adv.

Lenses ground. Faith Optical Co.

Canned Heat User Objects to Being Source of Revenue

"Why, your honor, I wasn't drunk; that is just my natural condition and every time the city needs a few dollars they come down to Old Dee's place and bring me to the city hall," an aged man who is a familiar figure in the police court told Judge Bert King in the corporation court Wednesday morning.

The man admitted that he did drink a little canned heat occasionally. He was given the minimum fine of one dollar for drunkenness and told to leave off the "canned heat." The defendant in another case of intoxication admitted that he had taken "about three fingers of hair tonic" but denied that he was intoxicated. "Hostetters bitters," "canned heat" and "hair tonic" along with other intoxicating "beverages" came up for their share of the discussion. The man was fined $19.

THREE RECRUITS ACCEPTED FOR FORT SILL ARTILLERY

James Alfred LaMar giving his address at 817 South Hancock street, Litchfield, Illinois; Herbert O. Mankins, 207 Maple street, Wichita Falls and Nelson L. Reed, Goree, Texas have been accepted by Lieutenant James B. Clearwater in charge of the artillery recruiting station, and will be sent to Fort Sill Wednesday afternoon for final examination.

MOTHER! BREAK CHILD'S COLD

Hurry! Move Little Bowels with "California Fig Syrup"

Whatever else you give your child to relieve a bad cold, sore throat or congestion, be sure to first open the little one's bowels with "California Fig Syrup" to get rid of the poisons and waste which are causing the cold and congestion. In a few hours you can see for yourself how thoroughly it works the constipation poison, sour bile and waste right out.

Even if you call your family physician he will praise you for having given "California Fig Syrup" as the laxative because it never fails, never cramps or overacts, and even sick children love its pleasant taste.

Ask your druggist for genuine "California Fig Syrup" which has directions for babies and children of all ages printed on bottle. Mother! You must say "California" or you may get an imitation fig syrup.

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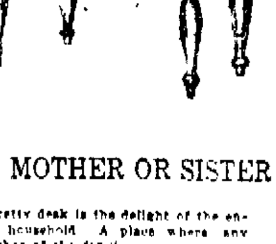
FOR DAD OR BROTHER

What more attraction to the men folks than a good reading chair. This Royal Push Button Chair combines every desirable feature possible to find in a reclining chair. The back and seat adjust to any angle instantly—

$30.00 and up

SOME COMFY LIVING ROOM PIECES

Wouldn't a pretty living room suit make the young men and women of the home smile on Christmas morning? A pretty 3-piece suit for only **$150**



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OUR PRESIDENT SAYS

CUT 'EM LOOSE!
CLEAR THE SHELVES!
START THE NEW YEAR WITH A NEW STOCK!

OUR PRESIDENT MUST BE OBEYED!

Therefore, starting Thursday morning, December 14th promptly at 9 o'clock, the doors swing open for the most daring, most spectacular merchandising even in the history of wichita's shoe selling!! Think of it!! Before January 1st our entire stock must be sacrificed!! This is a mighty undertaking!! A campaign that taxes our utmost value-giving efforts!! But remember when Harry sets out to do a thing, he does it successfully!!

VALUE! BARGAINS! SAVINGS!!!

THESE ARE THE PRIME FACTORS THAT WILL MAKE THIS MONSTROUS UNDERTAKING A HUGH AND OVERWELMING SUCCESS!!

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Thrifty! Economical People!!

Prepare for the greatest bargain feast you have ever known! Your Savings Will Be Greater! Come! See! Your enthusiasm will know no bounds when you inspect the innumerable rare savings that crowd our store!

REMEMBER!

Harry's stock consists of the most up to date novelties in men's, women's and children's shoes. That this is not an ordinary sale with a customary few baits, but every item is priced for rapid selling. Sale starts promptly at 9 o'clock and quick action is necessary!

MEN

It will pay you to buy shoes at this sale even if you don't wear them for a year

$6 VALUES for

$3.90

Both of the styles illustrated are developed in brown leather in Brogue or Blucher style, Goodyear Welt sewed soles and rubber heels—the ideal man's Winter Shoe and truly a remarkable value at $3.90

Women's Felt House Slippers

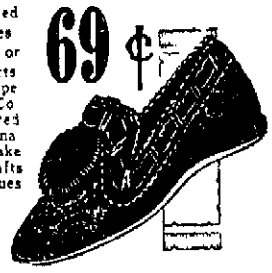
The greatest assortment we have ever shown. Hundreds of pairs in fur and ribbon trimmed. All colors all sizes, $2 values

98c

The Latest Arrivals in Women's Christmas Slippers

Pretty ribbon trimmed and fluffy pompon felts with padded Chrome leather soles come in two-tone or solid color effects. Oxford gray, taupe, old rose, brown, Copen, and all the wanted shades and combinations. These make very practical gifts and are unusual values at 69c

69¢



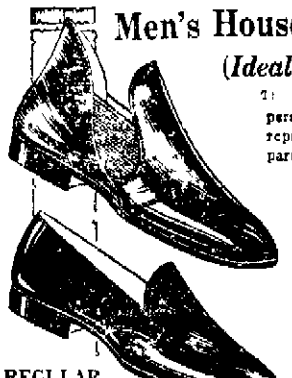
Shoes for the Big Girl or Miss for School

$2.95

Sizes 11½ to 2 and 2½ to 7 in brogue toe of English style, made of durable tan leather, double leather soles

Men's House Slippers

(Ideal for Gifts)



These slippers as illustrated represent only a small part of our enormous stock of men's Christmas Slippers — there are Romeo, Everett, Hilo styles to choose from, brown or black leather with flexible leather soles

REGULAR $3.50 VALUES FOR

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Felt and Leather One Strap House Shoes $1.39

5000 Pairs of Women's New Footwear

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Black Satin
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1000 pairs of new Oxfords and straps in tan calf and patent leather and straps in black satin. All sizes in every style. The greatest value we have ever offered

Regular $4 & $5 Values for

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$2.90

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BOYS' SCHOOL SHOES

The kind that will stand the hard knocks, made of heavy durable tan leather with sturdy soles rubber heels in blucher or brogue style. All sizes 1 to 6

JUST THINK! $8 AND $9 LINES

This group comprises women's smart new Footwear in Colonials, brogue oxfords, straps and boots in all the wanted leathers and materials. All sizes and widths in every style. Actual $8 and $9 values for

$6.40

SPRING FOOTWEAR INCLUDED!

This lot represents our finest Women's Footwear. All from the best makers in this season's most advanced styles, hand made turned soles and custom made welts in the three attractive styles as illustrated and many others. Regular $8 and $12.50 values for

$7.90

BROKEN LOTS!

Women's Boots, Straps and Oxfords

The most drastic sale we have ever held! All these lots, regardless of their [illegible] disposal at [illegible] per pair. All sizes represented [illegible]

$1.90

THE FIRST GO FIRST

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WEDNESDAY DEC 13 1922

10,000 MURDERS.

More than 10 000 murders were committed in the United States during 1921. This is revealed by a check-up conducted by Dr Frederick L Hoffman consulting statistician of the Prudential Insurance company

Hoffman found that 28 leading cities, with combined population of 20,558 770, had 1910 murders last year

On a population basis this is over 10 000 known murders for the whole country To them must be added the unknown number of murders that are successfully concealed and do not show up in the police reports These probably run into the thousands.

The death toll should draw a grim smile from the Turks next time America gets excited about Armenian massacres.

Open pigeonholes in your memory compare records, and the thought occurs to you that just about as many Americans are murdered as are killed by autos.

Hard to decide, which of the two is more amazing

Picture a town of 10,000 inhabitants, all murdered in cold blood during one night. A frightful picture. But it's a true picture of the murder situation in so-called civilized America.

Spread out over a gigantic territory and divided among our millions of people, with a murder here and there, day after day, and we lose sight of the terrible total

Dr Hoffman found that the 1921 murder rate was a fraction more than nine out of every 100 000 Americans

Allowing for concealed murders that are never definitely discovered (including many "missing persons" cases), a conservative estimate is that one American in every 10 000 is murdered yearly

Meaning Your chance of being slain is one in 10,000 each year, one in 1,000 during a period of 10 years Figure it up over a lifetime and, if you lived 100 years one chance in 100 of being murdered

The brighter side of the picture is that, while more than 10 000 are murdered in a year, at least 100,000 000 are not murdered As in all other forms of crime evil is "far and away" in the minority That's why evil gets so much attention—it's the exception the unusual

Most of us after all, are decent law abiding citizens

MORE STARVATION IN RUSSIA.

In some parts of Russia there was a very good grain crop last season, while in others the crop was scanty

It might be expected that the soviet government would buy grain from the sections where there is a production over the needs of the people and distribute it in the sections where the crop was so scanty that the people are in want But such does not appear to be the intention of the Lenine et al Armies and private cars for government heads and the maintenance of thousands of officials and the purchase of supplies from Germany requires some real money And the only manner in which the soviet government can obtain money is to confiscate the crops of the peasants and pay them in worthless paper and in turn to sell these crops outside the country for gold

That is what it is reported the soviet is doing with the excess grain crops produced in certain sections while the people are starving in other sections

The communists in Russia set about deliberately to destroy everything that represented wealth in that country, they also systematically have been killing or driving from the country all the men of learning They may have gotten the idea that people—that is people who cannot contribute anything for the upkeep of the army and the officials—are a nuisance and ought to starve anyway

ABOUT A NEW CONSTITUTION FOR TEXAS.

Opinion is almost unanimous that Texas needs a new constitution Our present constitution was adopted in 1876, but that is not the reason it is out of date The federal constitution was adopted nearly a hundred years before our state constitution and yet there is no agitation for a convention to draft a new constitution for the United States One of the troubles with the Texas constitution is that it attempts to do too much It is a much longer instrument than the constitution of the United States and in some details it is legislative That is the reason why it is out of date Matters that seemed to require legislation in 1875 have changed since that time, but as this legislation was written into the constitution it is very difficult to affect a change now.

If Texas in 1875 had drafted a constitution providing a declaration of principles a bill of rights and the division of the state government into its three co-ordinate branches, executive, legislative and judicial, leaving the people a wide freedom in legislation we would not today find some of the provision of it archaic.

There are fundamental principles in government there are rights that should be held inviolate, and it is necessary for the people to have the machinery of a representative government When these things are provided for we ought to have enough faith in the people and in posterity to give them a constitution without detailed legislation.

TODAY'S TALK

By GEORGE MATTHEW ADAMS

WHOEVER YOU ARE,

Teacher, perhaps—standing up long hours before a class of restless, though inwardly good and wholesome "young scamps." Knowingly full of responsibility and love for a better race.

Or soil man—rising early and retiring late, rough handled, honest hearted, wholesome minded. Taught by the lessons of the fields

Or mother—with crying babies, all the time getting into trouble and calling you from this and that, healing with kisses, comforting with pats and hugs All day long, never complaining but willingly accepting dreaming, planning, loving—far, far ahead

Or stenographer—drumming away at machine keys for hours and hours thinking how best to serve, how best to please how best to improve And then going home with a tired back and aching fingers.

Or scrub woman—kneeling over dirty floors, mopping, scrubbing, wondering, wishing Mindful of others or better days, maybe. Active while the other part of the world sleeps or is at play.

Or engineer—looking out of your cab window through rain, or fog or storm, while your passengers read or talk, or sleep in peace and thoughtlessness of you Driving your big engine with pride of heart, confident, glad of leadership in a world of commerce

Or poet—writing of the sentiments, the beauties, the wonders, the mysteries Lifting by your words great population, cities of men and women and little children, and leading them into gardens and heavens

Or shut in—bearing your pain or misfortune with vital fortitude and all the time thinking of those who walk and run and play.

You are why there is a God—a real God You are the "salt of this earth"

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JUST FOLKS

—By—
Edgar A. Guest

KEEP AT IT

If you really want to win,
Keep at it'
When a task you once begin,
Keep at it'
It may baffle you today,
Men may laugh at your dismay,
But some day you'll find the way,
Keep at it'

If you've started for a goal,
Keep at it'
With your heart and mind and soul
Keep at it!
Make mistakes, as people must,
But get up and shake the dust
From your garments and then just
Keep at it'

When you've learned where you are weak,
Keep at it'
You can win the joy you seek
Keep at it
Study, practice, think and plan
Make yourself a better man,
If another can you can—
Keep at it

Even though you fail today,
Keep at it
Never throw your dream away
Keep at it
Let the thoughtless laugh and jeer
Then pretend you do not hear
When you've conquered they will cheer—
Keep at it

Keep at it day and night,
Keep at it'
If you d paint, or sing, or write
Keep at it'
Hold the goal you crave in view
There is much that you can do
By and by you'll win, if you
Keep at it'

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SMILE A WHILE

WITH TOM SIMS

Near Quincy, Cal six hunters may have harnessed 12 wild deer and driven out of a snowstorm Any way they claim they did

African prospectors who thought they had a coal mine were disappointed to find it was only diamonds

The Turks want to trade with us We could sell them Turkish cigarettes Turkish towels and Turkish baths

Six tons of cranberries were burned in a New York fire Cooking steadily it would take 100 brides two weeks to burn this many

Hat makes a good gift for a wife because you must buy her one anyway.

London reports say Harry Gardner is 98 and growing a third set of teeth, but they may be false

Paris offers 180 000 francs for plans for a moving sidewalk Our suggestion is drink hard cider

William Kempt escaped from the Brooklyn Conn jail twice and if you think this is easy just try it

Detroit woman says she stabbed her husband to keep him at home Tear this up before your wife sees it

Stockings are good gifts but gloves are better because then you can always see what you got for your money

Two Atlanta, Ga. robbers were caught who were Georgia crackers and safe crackers, but not so very safe

Some day a farmer will equip his hogs with radio so he won't have to yell his head off calling them

Hell hath no fury like a woman when you track mud in her house

An electric iron is a swell gift for your wife and besides it will keep her feet warm at night

Minneapolis man was awarded $1 000 for time lost getting wrong phone numbers Most of us seem to get them right away.

Reform Crusade Waxes Hotter

By KITCHEL PIXLEY
(Our Own Special Correspondent)

MOGADORE Dec 13—Cherry old Seth Beardsley who beat yours truly for constable, is still pushin' his reform crusade, Seth bein' determined to get the wimmin's support for his administration, and their endorsement bein precious enough to make any officeholder commit bigamy polygamy or maybe anything for the sake of gettin' it.

Old Seth a paradin' with the handle of a new toothbrush plainly stickin out of his vest pocket and his cowhide boots shined

He's taken to washin Mrs Council President Bossmin's Max Bandog over every week He's scared Widow Perkins 2 year old Emmeline from 1 will in City Park horse trough lookin pushed the kid in first And he's trym for repute as a wimmin's man by sparkin two old maids over on Tenth street

Seein as the old critter beat me and there's another time comin, I'm here warnin me to see he wasn't makin some headway but Ma Pixley says 'let the old fool go to it' Pretty soon Mrs Bosworth will hear about Seth purrin around them old maids and th nga will sure happen And Ma certainly knows wimmin from toenails to back hair

Thinkin that when it comes up in

ngress light wine and beer will s a live issue and somewhat embarrassin' to Seth in his role of reformer I've canvassed the wet entiment around here but its confined to a few of us leadin citizens treat it it at go respect has already set prohibin under a 7 p m curfew for married men until we w dint fire us a peep for even gasoline wine and beer

But once Seth signed a testimonial for a tar soap advertisement beginnin Every mother's child is duty bound NEXT I'm thinkin of spittin that on him What do you think of it?

OLD ILLINOIS-MICHIGAN CANAL IS DOOMED TO GO

CHICAGO Dec 1 —The old Illinois and Michigan canal down whose towpaths the mule drivers once directed the commerce of the state is doomed

Governor Len Small is expected to recommend the abandonment of the inland waterway down the Illinois River when it leaves the last of the locks off the little canal which has served the state since 1848

The old canal between Joliet and Grand Rondo southward is to be abandoned but the section from a stretch from Brandon Lake to LaSalle will be maintained at least for the present to handle pleasure boats and other small craft

Originally the "I & M" ran from Chicago to LaSalle but construction of the Chicago drainage canal to Lockport eliminated a 40 mile section The I & M carried 74 000 000 tons of freight between 1860 and 1918 In the 22 years between 1848 and 1860 the canal had paid for itself from the tolls collected

In recent years the traffic has been light because it could no longer compete with modern railroad service When first built the canal was 26 feet wide and 10 feet deep with a capacity of 140 tons of freight which was adequate to handle the traffic of a state equal to the present railroad traffic of that time Competition with the railroads continued up until 1897 when large trains cut the canal tonnage under that of the canal trains Although millions of tons of freight have been moved over the canal since 1897 each year the canal's greatest loss

[illegible] part of its success [illegible] however the canal [illegible] railroad rates [illegible] 40 per cent [illegible] the canal saved the [illegible] state $15 000 000 [illegible]

YOU AND I

By ALBERT APPLE

LUXURY.

What is your idea of the last word in luxury? Caligula, Roman emperor had a favorite horse named Irritatus. He fed his horse glided oats from an ivory manger in a marble stable, and allowed him to drink only the most delicious wines Irritatus had a palace with servants in which he "entertained" other horses Caligula also appointed this favorite steed a consul or honorary chief magistrate

Fine to read about But this luxury was supported by human slavery So is nearly all modern luxury

NERO.

The "Golden House of Nero" was more than a mile long It contained artificial lakes orchards and wonderous gardens The palace of the emperor was floored with tiles of solid gold. Walls and ceilings were inlaid with gold, jewels, ivory. The roof of the banquet hall resembled the sky at night, the stars and moon moving mechanically with astronomical accuracy Occasionally from this artificial sky, came a rain of perfume drops

No we don't have such luxuries in modern civilization But there are several rich men in America who could have a more costly palace if they wanted to. The people do not object to gigantic wealth as long as it is kept under cover instead of goadingly flaunted before their eyes

"BARBAROUS."

Turkey bars the importation of alcoholic drinks Present stocks must be consumed within 60 days, or be destroyed

At Angora the Turkish government makes a law all Turks must submit to medical examination before marriage

The deposed sultan's fabulous wealth will be confiscated—but only after carefully debated legislation

The "barbarous Turk" seems to be getting civilized whatever that is No one has ever given a satisfactory and comprehensive definition of "civilized" Can you?

TABOO.

Latest inventory shows over 16 000,000 gallons of whisky stored in distilleries and bonded warehouses It will console wets to know that the stuff still exists somewhere even if it is taboo

What will be prohibited next? You never can tell Maine begins enforcing a law prohibiting the service of ice in any kind of drink even water, in hotels or public eating places The ice cannot come in contact with the fluid to be drunk This is sensible prohibition—where ice is apt to contain germs Individuals will object preferring to let people decide for themselves.

PRESENTS.

An auction of unclaimed parcels from the dead letter branch of the parcelpost is held in the east It brings about $7 500 The parcels when opened are found to contain everything from toy mice to shot guns

Meantime people who mailed the parcels are wondering why they weren't delivered The answer is They were addressed improperly and could be neither delivered nor returned to the senders

Address your Christmas parcels carefull Be sure to write your return address in ink on the packages Labels may come off

101.

A man 101 years old in Terre Haute Ind estimates wrongly in saying a guardian appointed for him He says he realizes he is old that he is incompetent to handle his own affairs

A lot of talk about science prolonging human life its weak point is that it is based on reinstating the body not much attention to restoring youth to the mind Does little without the other The wise old man of 101 knows it

EDWIN M'KEE DIES AT HOME IN FORT WORTH

FORT WORTH Dec 12—Edwin McKee 84, father of Lloyd McKee, widely known southwest grocer died last night at the family residence here

"BABY MINE"

LOVE MAY MAKE THE WORLD GO ROUND BUT I WISH POP WOULD GIVE ME A NICKEL TO OIL UP THE MACHINERY

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as the Government sees it

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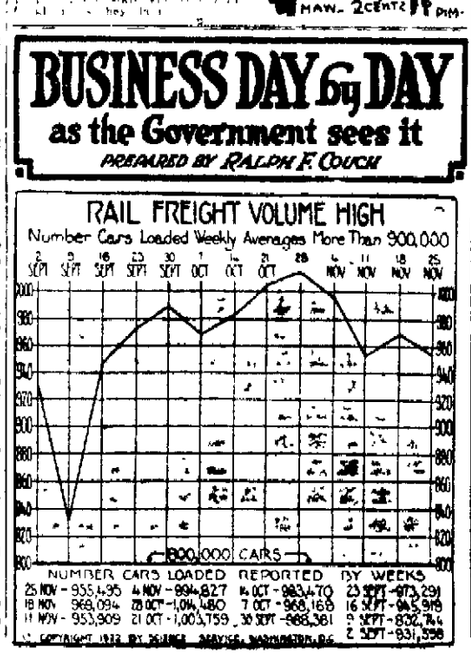
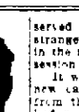


WHAT A DIFFERENCE A FEW YEARS MAKES!

Triumphs of M. Jonquelle



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THE GREAT CYPHER

CHAPTER II

Chauvannes found that wilderness veined through with these camps precisely as Stanley found it when he was following the Ituri in his effort to relieve Emin Pasha. All Chauvannes seems to have had precisely the same experiences as Stanley, in that the poisoned arrows which the dwarf tribes used were always fatal to the natives but not to the white men of the expedition. At least the three white men with Chauvannes and the explorer himself always escaped while the persistent destruction of the other members of the expedition continued not only Chauvannes and the three white men came out alive

The expedition was not large It was as small as Chauvannes could get on with He never intended to be more than a scouting party for the thing he was planning for The discovery of the emerald was a sort of accident in removing the portion of an ancient wall that an uprooted tree had dislodged

There was a moment's silence Then Monsieur Jonquelle went on

I said awhile ago that the incredible things set out in the journal did not begin to appear until about the seventeenth of December when they had finally come out It is true that some indicators things are noted in the journal before that date Chauvannes could not sleep He returns again and again to this fact Bromides did no good He continues to complain about the failure of the bromides If orders if the drugs have lost their virtue or if they could not have any effect He notes that he tried them with one of the [illegible] the other The bromides were right The fact gave him a good deal of concern He could not sleep And the drugs upon which the medical profession depend in such a case failed

We find this feature in considerable detail and beginning some time before December seventeenth while the excitation was still the first of the Congo in its awful march to the northeast

I don't know when it was that Chauvannes realized what was [illegible] him but as I have said [illegible] he said it almost from the first of the month

I set down that I recall word for word the sentence I felt at the time that no one [illegible] understand it that the thing meant something which might to appear we were able to grasp a proper conception of it I felt before it as I used to feel before those clever German dispatches which appear on their faces to be merely a narrative of a domestic incident when in reality were in fact army orders containing a definite direction I was right, as events proved but the government authorities in Paris at the time considered my notion fantastic

Still as I have said the strange digressions in this journal did not begin to appear until about the seventeenth day of December when they came out into the great grass-covered plateau outlined to the east by a low mountain range beneath which lay Lake Albert Nyanza As it happened they had come out ten days ahead of the date which they had determined upon for the arrival of the lake boat It was to receive the expedition at the same point on the Nyanza at Stanley had done The camped on a grass slope that looked like an English park Chauvannes said within the first day's march out of the forest there they remained

Chauvannes had all the modern implements that an explorer carries with him and he had [illegible] not in addition of this [illegible] most painstaking a man [illegible] started [illegible] in every variety of way [illegible] He was [illegible] beyond any possibility of error And he did not fail The exact location of that camp is as certain as any location on Belgian Congo territory It can be located today within the error of half a meter He had plenty of time for this [illegible] Chauvannes remained in this camp while the other men went [illegible] the Nyanza

The route to the lake could not be laid out to its eye It was a [illegible] by bowing market [illegible] memory of the expedition [illegible] the men with Chauvannes thought [illegible] letter to be certain of the way out [illegible] as they had to put in the time until the boat arrived It seemed [illegible] able to go over the route The African beat he under [illegible] and the [illegible] set out for Albert Leture remaining in the camp with Chauvannes

It was here alone with Leture that Chauvannes finished the journal which I finally [illegible] might say at the Service de la Sureté in Paris

I have said that the only thing indicating Chauvannes condition be

Chauvannes could not sleep.

[illegible] the seventeenth of December [illegible] came out on the [illegible] track into this heavenly [illegible] below the Albert was the [illegible] could [illegible] that [illegible] felt [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

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WAGGONER WELL IN HIRSCHI FIELD IS SETTING CASING

SEVERAL TESTS IN NEW DISTRICT DUE FOR COMPLETION SOON.

TEXHOMA GETS SHALLOW PRODUCER ON M. PARKER

Two Tests On Sand In Freeman-Hampton Field; New Wildcat Well in Archer.

Drilling operations on the several tests now drilling in the vicinity of the Hirschi well in block 834 are being watched closely at present. Casing is being set at 1500 feet in the E. M. Waggoner test in block 8?3 a short distance to the east on the Allen-Foster land. South of the Waggoner test J. Judge Moore is drilling in the neighborhood of 1600 feet. Northwest the Texhoma company is drilling at 1604 on the Hirschi tract, and the No. 2 of Figg and Keltz is close to 1700 feet.

The discovery well is keeping up production and is at present producing 475 barrels daily.

Gets Shallow Well.

L. P. (Pink) Hammond of this city has completed a nice 23-barrel well on his 59 acres in the Grace Jennings tract, in section 12, south Electra field in what looks like a new depth for this part of the field. The top of the sand was picked up at 1014 feet which was drilled to 1024. The nearest shallow production to the above well is the Van-Avery 500-foot wells about 800 feet southeast in the same section.

Shallow Producer on Parker.

The Texhoma company has completed a 10-barrel well in the 1260-foot sand on block 5, Mattie Parker lands. This well is 1800 feet southeast of the Orth well on the Parker. Between it and the Orth well a dry hole was drilled, to the same sand, by Holbrook and Woods.

New 150-Barrel Well.

Knight et al, who are the discoverers of the 1580 foot sand in the Freeman-Hampton pool, have added another oil well to the pool in their No. 1-B lease, Ferguson lands.

This is the third well which McKnight and his associates have brought in. Their new well topped the sand at 1570 feet. The well has been bailed, tubing set, and connected with the tank.

Knight et al are down 100 feet on their No. 2 well, B lease, and are drilling at 800 feet on their No. 3-A lease.

Featherston Gets a Well.

C. H. Featherston and associates drilling on the Ferguson lands southeast of the Freeman-Hampton pool have found the sand at 1507 feet. Casing is being set and the well will be drilled in and bailed Friday. This well will make an extension of the pool to the southeast.

Derrick has just been completed on block 126, Jackson farm, Aldridge survey. New Colony lands nine miles northeast of Archer City and east of the Texhoma-Gose field by Knight and Hines. Drilling operations will start in the next few days.

Legion Wins From Baptist Quintet By One-Sided Score

In a walkover the Legion team won over the Baptist by a score of 31 to 1? on the Legion court Tuesday night. The Baptist tried substitutions and every play in the basket ball category but were outclassed in every way by the close guarding and effective floor work of the Legion. G. Rogers and Ferguson apparently without effort tossed field goals one after the other and the Baptist were powerless. Box score:

Legion

Players—	F.G.	F.T.	F.
G. Rogers, R. F.	8	2	0
Ferguson, L. F.	6	0	0
S. Rogers, C.	0	0	2
Rose, R. G.	0	0	1
Watford, L. G.	2	0	0

Baptist

Players—	F.G.	F.T.	F.
Hall, L. G.	0	0	0
Pitts, L. G.	0	0	0
Brooks, R. G.	0	0	1
Martin, C.	0	0	0
Haynes, L. F.	3	2	1
Beckham, L. F.	1	0	0
Thurman, R. F.	1	0	0
	5	2	2

Referee McClain.

WAREHOUSE FOREMAN INJURED TUESDAY BY FALL FROM PLATFORM

W. J. Berry, [illegible] foreman for the Katy, residing at 1905 Twentieth street, was badly injured about the hips and arms in a fall he sustained Tuesday noon. [illegible] a friendly [illegible] he slipped off the platform and [illegible] his [illegible] against a plow p[illegible].

[illegible] his hip was broken, [illegible] to the company hospital at [illegible] where an X-ray examination will be held.

Mr. Berry has been in the service of the Katy for the past [illegible] years.

MINISTER OF INTERIOR IS FORCED TO RESIGN

WARSAW, Dec. 12.—The minister of the interior has been forced to resign as a result of Monday's rioting in connection with the installation of Gabriel Narutowicz as president of Poland. The chief of police has been dismissed and is to be prosecuted.

ARE YOU TIRED WHEN YOU GET UP?

REMEMBER how you used to jump out of bed in the morning, full of "pep" and vim, eager for a hard day's work?

If you have begun to fear those days have gone forever, take Gude's Pepto-Mangan and see how it brings back the color to your cheeks, builds firm flesh and rich, red blood, and makes you feel younger, stronger, healthier and more vigorous in every way.

Your druggist has Gude's—liquid or tablets, as you prefer.

Gude's Pepto-Mangan

Tonic and Blood Enricher

STATE BONUS FOR EX-SOLDIERS TO BE CONSIDERED SOON

AMERICAN LEGION POST IS ASKED FOR EXPRESSION ON SUBJECT.

MAY BE PRESENTED TO NEXT LEGISLATURE

Local Post to Meet Thursday Night to Consider What It's Answer Shall Be.

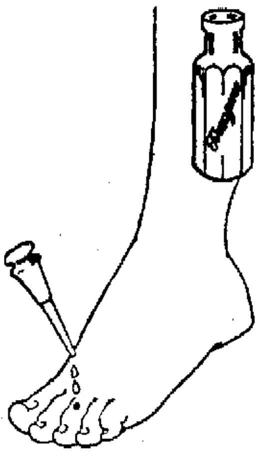
Ex-service men who are desirous of expressing themselves on the question of a state bonus, are asked to attend a meeting of the Pat Carrigan post of the American Legion at the club rooms Thursday night at 7:45.

A communication from G. L. Folbre, department adjutant in Dallas, states that the question of the state bonus for ex-service men will come up at the next meeting of the state legislature. A blank, with the request that the post express itself as being for or against the move to introduce a bonus bill in the next session of the Texas legislature, is enclosed in the communication. The blanks have been mailed to all legion posts in the state so that an opinion of ex-service men as a whole may be expressed.

The meeting of the post is called so as not to interfere with the basket ball games scheduled for Thursday night. The matter of the membership campaign will also be taken up at the meeting. Officers of the post are anxious to have a large and representative attendance in order to get a fair expression on the question of state bonus.

CORNS

Lift Off with Fingers



Doesn't hurt a bit! Drop a little "Freezone" on an aching corn, instantly that corn stops hurting, then shortly, you lift it right off with fingers. Truly!

Your druggist sells a tiny bottle of "Freezone" for a few cents, sufficient to remove every hard corn, soft corn or corn between the toes, and the calluses, without soreness or irritation. (adv.)

STOMACH "QUEER" GAS, HEARTBURN, INDIGESTION !!!

Chew a few Pleasant Tablets, Instant Stomach Relief!

Acid stomach, heartburn, fullness. If you feel bloated, sick or uncomfortable after eating, here is harmless relief. "Pape's Diapepsin" settles the stomach and corrects digestion the moment it reaches the stomach.

This guaranteed stomach corrective costs but a few cents at any drug store. Keep it handy!

The box is *blue*

Opal jar inside

Be sure to get real Resinol

If you want to get rid of eczema, pimples, or other distressing skin eruption, you will accept no "substitute" for Resinol. Preparations similar in name or appearance are *not* "just the same as Resinol." Although a *few* unscrupulous dealers may offer them *as* or *for* Resinol, they are often crudely made, of little healing power, and some may even be dangerous to use. Buy in the original *blue* package.

Resinol is never sold in bulk

THE Howell Store

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Our Quitting Business Sale

Culminating in

Great Christmas Sale

Opens Thursday Morning, December 14th, at 9 o'Clock

It is our wish to clear out the greater part of our stock by Christmas eve night. In arranging for this sale we have brought a great amount of surplus stock from our Iowa Park store, such as Edwin Clapp Shoes and in addition we have added thousands of dollars of new, clean merchandise at the most extraordinary discounts. Merchandise bought in a great inventory sale in many instances as low as half price. Included in this merchandise are fine wool blankets, silk comforts, towels, table cloths, breakfast sets, silk underwear, petticoats and pettibockers.

Great Reductions in Ladies' Coats, Suits and Dresses, Silk Underwear, Pettibockers, Etc.

One lot Ladies' Coats worth $49.50 at **$24.95**
Silk Bloomers and Pettibockers worth $4.50 to $7.95 at **$2.95, $3.45, $4.95**

44 LADIES' MESH BAGS, GOLD AND SILVER

WHITING-DAVIS

Special

Values up to $20.00 at **$9.95**
Values up to $15.00 at **$6.95**
Values up to $12.50 at **$5.95**

Special Items In Dry Goods Department

Wool Blankets, finest quality, $5.75 to **$14.95**
Silk Comforts, $8.95 to **$18.50**
Bed Spreads, $2.49 to **$5.95**
Breakfast Cloths, $1.19 and **$1.49**
Breakfast Sets at **$3.95**
Bath Towels, per pair 45c to **98c**
Linen Towels, per pair 98c and **$1.49**
Ladies' Bath Robes, values $4.95, at **$3.45**

SHOE DEPARTMENT

MEN'S SHOES

75 pairs Edwin Clapp Shoes, worth $14.50, at **$8.00**
100 pairs Crossett and J. P. Smith Shoes, worth $10.00, at **$6.00**
60 pairs J. & M. Shoes, narrow widths, worth $14.50, at **$5.00**
85 pairs Crossett Shoes, worth $10.00, at **$5.00**
100 pairs Crossett and Walker Shoes, worth $10.00, at **$3.00**
75 pairs Oxfords, Crossett and J. & M.'s, worth $10.00 to $14.50 at **$2.00**
40c Lace Boots, values $8.50 to $15.00, at $3.50 to **$7.00**

LADIES' SHOES

600 pairs Ladies' fine Walking Shoes, light welt soles, Cuban heels, made by the best makers in America, worth $13.50 per pair on today's market, at **$2.50**
Note: Leathers, brown kid, brown calf and black kid, all sizes AAA to D's.
New Colonials in brown suede, mat kid, patent leather and brown kid, hand turned soles and French heels, worth $12.00 .... **$6.50 to $7.00**
150 pairs patent leather and black kid one and two-strap pumps, turned soles, Spanish and Cuban heels, values to $10.00 at **$4.00**

MEN'S AND BOYS' CLOTHING DEPARTMENT

EXCEPTIONAL VALUES IN OVERCOATS

All Belted Models, Fine Fabrics and Hand Tailored Coats

$50.00 Overcoats at **$32.50**
$45.00 Overcoats at **$29.50**
$40.00 Overcoats at **$27.50**
$32.50 Overcoats at **$19.50**
$50.00 Men's Suits at .... **$29.60** to **$34.00**
$45.00 Men's Suits at **$29.20**
$40.00 Men's Suits at .... **$25.85** to **$27.25**
$35.00 Men's Suits at **$21.85**
Six Men's Full Dress Suits Worth $75.00 at **$30.00**

BOYS' SUITS

$12.50 Boys' Suits at **$8.95**
$11.00 Boys' Suits at **$7.75**
$9.00 Boys' Suits at **$6.00**
A few Boys' Overcoats, sizes 4 to 12 at great reductions.

MEN'S FURNISHINGS

One lot Men's Belts, values to $1.00 at .... **50¢**
One lot Men's Knit Neckwear, worth $1.00 at .... **65¢**
One lot Men's Knit Neckwear worth $1.50 at .... **85¢**
One lot Men's Silk Neckwear worth $2.00 at **$1.35**
One lot Men's Silk Ties in holiday boxes, worth $1.50 at .... **95¢**
Special attractions in Men's Bath and Lounging Robes, Collar Boxes, Manicure Rolls, Silver Flasks, Gold and Silver Belt Buckles, Traveling Sets, Military Brushes, Full Dress Sets, etc.

SHIRT SPECIALS

One lot $3.00 Dress Shirts at **$1.95**
One lot Shirts worth $2.50 at **$1.00**
4 dozen gray collar attached Airplane Linen Cloth Shirts worth $4.00 each at **$2.00**

MEN'S HOSIERY AND UNDERWEAR SPECIALS

$1.50 Silk Hose, full fashioned, at per pair **$1.00**
$1.00 Silk Hose, full fashioned back, seamless foot, at .... **75¢**
$3.50 Men's Wool Mixture Underwear, medium weight, at **$2.45**

MEN'S HATS

We are offering hundreds of new Fall Hats at very remarkable reductions.

All Hats including Stetsons, values up to $10.00

$2.00 to **$4.65**

SEE UNUSUAL DISPLAYS IN SCOTT STREET WINDOWS, BLANKETS, COMFORTS, SHOES, LADIES' COATS, PETTIBOCKERS, MEN'S OVERCOATS AND LADIES' NOVELTIES.

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LIONS CLUB STARTS MOVE TO SUPPRESS 'DEGRADING' SHOWS

"OUTRAGE," SAYS HATCHITT, IN DISCUSSING CERTAIN ATTRACTIONS.

OTHER ORGANIZATIONS TO BE ASKED TO HELP

May Ask City Council to Act in Preventing Performances Considered Undesirable.

A motion to solicit the help of the other clubs and civic organizations of the city in arousing the public interest in the suppression of any public performance in the theaters of the city, which has a degrading tendency, was made by Judge J. B. Hatchitt at the meeting of the Lions club at the Y. W. C. A. Wednesday.

The motion passed and a committee to confer with the other clubs in bringing the matter before the public and if necessary to ask the protection of the city council against motion pictures and performances that are vulgar and degrading.

"The invasion by women of all the gainful occupations, the passage of the eighteenth amendment and the degrading influence of our modern amusements," were the causes to which Judge Hatchitt attributed what has been termed as the "moral breakdown." Judge Hatchitt discussed briefly the way in which each of these causes had effected a change in our social and economic life. Particular stress was laid upon the nature of modern amusements, theatrical performances and motion pictures. The speaker called attention to attractions in local theaters which he declared were an "outrage."

"If this moral breakdown could be restricted to one generation little harm would result," the speaker said. "But if it is distributed in the coming generation then the perpetuity of our form of government and civilization is endangered."

J. B. Hatchitt, W. D. Fielding and P. H. Card were appointed a committee to confer with the other clubs of the city in starting a campaign for cleaner amusements.

Misses English and Julia Ross, who J. W. Akin at the piano, entertained the club with a violin duet; they responded to hearty applause with a second number.

FORMER PASTOR HERE WRITES OF INCIDENTS TRANSFERRING CHARGE

CHEROKEE, TEXAS, Nov. 27.—To the Editor, Paul, the divinely commissioned apostle to the Gentiles, was a highly educated son of Abraham and a natural born scattered, whose large epistolary correspondence desirably exhibits the refinement of courtesy. He often thanked people for kindness shown him, mention of their names in his letters to the churches.

In similar fashion the undersigned sincerely attempts that lightsome and brightened the departure of him of and fam by from their parsonage home at 2? Bridge street, Wichita, Kansas, to their new residence in Cherokee among the rocky hills of San Saba county, Texas.

Without embarrassing us we seven were comfortably carried in cars to the union station in the mid-afternoon of November first by the courtesy of Paul Cowart and Brother Huckabee, the golden hearted and capable educational secretary of the First Methodist church, South. On the same day they brought the incoming pastor and household to the hospitable home of the Gilmers on North Side, till the parsonage could be made ready for their occupancy. Feeding the arrival Sunday belated train, the clever cashier of the City National Bank, Brother Oral Jones, "fixed us up as we thought for the whole expense of our transportation running beyond the century mark, as the sequel proved. At the depot in Fort Worth the only acquaintance we met was none other than the Carolina bred gentleman whose efficiently heads the biggest banking institution of the city, that faith in mankind heartily. He too, literally "came to the rescue" by the tender of a bill that met an emergency. Others may call it mere chance, but this dependent esteems it providential. And he hereby gives thanks accordingly.

Arriving next day at noon in San Saba, a brother, one of the stewards from Cherokee, 15 miles distant, who had come to meet us, quickly carried us and our numerous sundry bags in his Ford car to our cottage of abode, where we were hospitably entertained in private homes until the returning pastor could vacate the parsonage. Upon our first night in the parsonage a largely attended and heartily "touch" "pounding party" visited us. And that, too, was distinctly providential.

In this region there is a bountiful and convenient supply of black jack oak wood and the open hearth glows with generous warmth therefrom. The fires are kindled each morning from a bed of red hot coals that smoldered slept in the ashes overnight.

Chickens, turkeys, sheep, hogs and cattle are sources of considerable wealth here. Two thousand of these fine Thanksgiving and Christmas birds were raised within a radius of 15 miles around Cherokee last year and the present year will probably yield as many or more. That all means this is a preacher's paradise, you know.

Superb drinking water is drawn from deep bored wells by means of windmills and it is piped into the houses and premises from large galvanized tanks. Marble and granite of excellent grade is quarried.

Daily mail arrives in midafternoon from Llano and San Saba, and jitney cars bring passengers while large trucks deliver freight.

We send greeting to all our friends. W. A. BETTS.

CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY
FOR THE RELIEF OF
Coughs, Colds, Croup
WHOOPING COUGH, HOARSENESS
BRONCHITIS
—SOLD EVERYWHERE—

CLARA PHILLIPS IS IN MEXICO! BUT NO PLACE IS SAFE FOR HER

—SAYS WILLIAM J. BURNS

By HARRY HUNT
NEA Staff Writer

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—"Clara Phillips is in Mexico, of course."

That's the answer given emphatically and without hesitation by William J. Burns, world famous detective and chief of the United States secret service, to the query:

"Where is Clara Phillips, escaped Los Angeles hammer murderess?"

"What chance has she of evading capture?" I then asked the famous detective chief.

"No place is safe for her," BURNS Burns replied. "Even if she evades immediate capture, the chances are she will be turned up and identified sooner or later, and brought back to face justice.

"But in her favor, temporarily at least, is the fact that at present we have no treaty of extradition with Mexico, as this government has no official relationship with the present government in Mexico.

"Nicaragua would be another comparatively safe refuge, and has long been a favorite place with escaped criminals and fugitives.

"In almost any European country she probably would be identified. Italy would offer the only comparative safety in Europe, as extradition from that country always has been difficult.

Extradition Difficult.

"My belief, however, is that she headed straight into Mexico and is there long before this. Locating her there will not be the only difficulty in getting her back, in view of the lack of extradition agreements, would be complicated. And the opportunities for safe hiding there are many.

"It is mighty seldom, however, that an escaped convict finds permanent safety. Once in a while a man is begged after 10 or 15 years. Escapees after two or three years are frequent. They are mighty few who, after a few months or a year or two, do not return to the states to their old haunts.

"An instance of how captures are effected after long chases is that of Schmidt and Kaplan, whom I arrested three years after the blowing up of the Los Angeles Times. One of them we got on Broadway, the other on a little island up near Tacoma, Wash.

All Services Help.

"Another celebrated case was that of the fellow wanted in connection with the disappearance of a Montreal theater owner—Small. I believe his name was. A Burns operative located him in a little town away up in Oregon.

"The coordination established between federal, state, county and municipal authorities by the federal bureau of identification now makes it virtually impossible for anyone to change or disguise themselves to escape identification. Bertillon measurements sometimes err.

"Physical characteristics covered by those measurements change. But fingerprints remain unchanged throughout life and they will make it possible to identify Mrs. Phillips when she is located or ventures back into the states again—whether next year or 10 years from now."

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MRS. CLARA PHILLIPS.

"Where is Clara Phillips?"

That question is being asked in every city and town in the nation as today's Service goes to press.

NEA Service put the question to William J. Burns, world's foremost detective and chief of the United States secret service.

His answer is given herewith.

Should Mrs. Phillips be captured before this story reaches you, Hunt's story will be of immense interest to your readers as a clear, concise statement of the chance criminals have to elude justice.

DRINGS SHARP WARNING TO ANGORA DELEGATION

LAUSANNE, Dec. 13.—A refusal by Turkey at this morning's session of the near east conference to accede to the demand for a national home for the Armenians or international regulation of the rights of the minorities in Turkey brought a sharp warning to the Angora delegation from Marquis Curzon, head of the British delegation.

The British foreign secretary told the Turkish delegation that persistent intrusion of barriers to a satisfactory settlement of the minorities problems was having a bad effect on the conference and the entire world.

"When we leave Lausanne—and it may be we shall leave soonest than you think—when the world sees that the allied powers have been fighting the battles of the minorities and getting nothing but ingratitude in return, the general impression will be deplorable for Turkey," said Lord Curzon.

"Do not let us darken this sense by charges and counter charges of horrors. We wish to obtain a solution for the future.

"I deeply regret this proposal for the exchange of population, this sad and vicious solution for which the world will pay for a hundred years to come. I detest having agreed to it. But to say that the Greeks proposed it is misrepresentation. It has been forced by the Turks through their expulsion of Greeks.

"It is perfectly clear that the Turks wish to rid themselves of the Greeks or to make their condition of life in Turkey cruel and impossible."

VOICE OF THE PEOPLE.

The Growth of Electra.

Editor The Times:

Many arguments have been concerning the population of Electra. When the census was taken in 1920 it gave the number as 4,744 but at that time many were missed in the enumeration and not were enumerated at the different theatres. I find out how many were missed by the census taker and over 200 names were taken in this way. During the last two months I have made a careful enumeration and I find that there is now a population of 5,670 in the city limits of Electra. This does not include those that live on the outskirts of the city and who get their mail at this post office. This shows that the population has increased nearly double in the last two years and we are still growing, and people are every day enquiring for houses but there are not any houses for rent. If some person would build some rent houses they could have tenants for them before they were finished.

ED C. WILSON,
Justice of the Peace Precinct No. 4, Wichita county, Texas.

FAIL TO ESTABLISH A MOTIVE FOR KILLING

RICHMOND, Dec. 13.—After exhaustive investigation detectives today claimed they had failed to establish a motive for the killing of Mrs. Thelma Gilbreath, a stenographer, who was shot to death Monday at the home of Thomas Ballard. Ballard and his wife are now in custody. To ascertain the exact manner in which the young woman was shot,

NEWS BREVITIES.

Roy Stephens, a former Wichita operator, has returned from a four-year stay in Burham, China, and other Oriental countries. Mr. Stephens has been in the employ of the British government, having charge of a number of oil wells during drilling operations. He will make a short stay here before sailing for South America.

A party composed of Bill Guthrie, Perry Parker and E. H. Davenport left Tuesday for a two week's hunting trip near Mason, Texas.

S. H. Rider, former principal of the High school, but now a resident of Rio Grande, is in the city visiting old friends in the city and at the school.

Chas Constance, traveling freight agent of the Gulf Coast lines, with headquarters in Dallas, is a business visitor in the city.

G. T. Allman of the Denver ticket office has returned from Fort Worth.

J. A. Kemp left Tuesday evening for Fort Worth.

G. D. Fox, manager of the Wichita Falls Window Glass company, leaves Wednesday evening for Okmulgee, Oklahoma.

MEDICAL SOCIETY GOES TO BONHAM NEXT YEAR

DALLAS, Dec. 13.—Dr. M. M. Morrison of Denison was elected president of the North Texas Medical association at the eighty-fourth semi-annual meeting here today. Other officers elected today included vice president, L. M. Higgins, Gainesville; secretary-treasurer, Dr. Will Horn, Fort Worth. Bonham was selected for the next meeting place in June, 1923.

PRINCE CHRISTOPHER AND WIFE COMING TO U. S.

SOUTHAMPTON, Dec. 13.—Prince Christopher of Greece with his wife, formerly Miss Aspasia Manos, were passengers on the liner Olympic, which sailed today for New York.

EPIDEMIC OF VIRULENT TYPHUS IS REPORTED

LONDON, Dec. 13.—An epidemic of typhus of virulent character is sweeping through the eastern part of the Mediterranean, according to a report from Sofia, Bulgaria, received here today. The disease has been spread by the Turkish refugees from Asia Minor.

CARPENTER-SIKE FIGHT APPEARS LESS CERTAIN

[illegible]

Bookwood [illegible] a present worth while. For sweets—adv.

Christmas cards at Decorators—adv.

Picture frames at Decorators—adv.

No Soap Better
—For Your Skin—
Than Cuticura
Cuticura Soap Shaving Stick, Talcum Free of Rubber. Sample Each Free. Address: Cuticura Laboratories, Malden, Mass.

Murine Night & Morning
KEEP YOUR EYES CLEAN CLEAR AND HEALTHY
WRITE FOR FREE EYE CARE BOOK. MURINE CO. CHICAGO

CATARRH
of head or throat is usually benefited by the vapors of—
VICKS VAPORUB
Over 17 Million Jars Used Yearly

GRANT MOTION FOR REHEARING IN CASE OF JAS. WILLIAMS

AUSTIN, Dec. 13.—The following proceedings were held in the court of criminal appeals today:

Affirmed: Virgil Miller, from Anderson; H. C. Roach, from Dexter; Albert Christman, alias J. E. Moore, from Collin; George Hopkins, from Allen; White, from Dallas; Thomas K. Cooper, from El Paso; Faustino Melo, from El Paso; John Horner, from Harris; J. W. Windham, from Jones; H. A. Kolb, from Tarrant.

Reversed and remanded: Clay Green, from Dallas; M. M. Morris, from Dallas; Pat Sewell, from Franklin; H. A. Nix, from Tarrant; [illegible], from [illegible].

Reversed, remanded [illegible] Annie Bailey, from Bell.

Application for habeas corpus dismissed: Ex parte Doug. Wallace, from Jefferson.

Appeal dismissed: S. Hunter, alias Shorty Hunter, from [illegible].

Motion for rehearing granted, reversed and remanded: James Williams, from Wichita.

Motion for rehearing overruled: Ex parte Tarrott Jack, from Lee; Alex Leake, from [illegible].

[illegible]

LARGE QUANTITIES POISON IN BODIES OF TWIN CHILDREN

CHICAGO, Dec. 13.—Poison has been found in large quantities in the bodies of twin children of Mrs. Nellie Sponer Knick, Coroner's chemist, William H. McNally announced today. Mrs. Knick and her cousin, Mrs. Tillie Kilnck, are under indictments for murder in connection with the deaths of several former husbands and other relatives of the two women. Out of eight bodies examined seven were found to contain poison, according to Mr. McNally.

The bodies of five other relatives of Mrs. Kunek and Mrs. Koulik are to be exhumed for examination, William McLaughlin, assistant state's attorney, announced last night. A blanket charge of conspiracy to commit murder may be placed against the women, he said, in view of the finding of poison in so many bodies.

COMMITTEE VOTE FOR CONFIRMATION OF PIERCE BUTLER

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—Hearings on the nomination of Pierce Butler, St. Paul attorney, to be an associate justice of the supreme court, were concluded late today by a senate judiciary sub-committee which then voted unanimously to recommend Mr. Butler's confirmation.

CLUE IS OBTAINED IN CASE OF POISONING OF SIR WILLIAM HEYWOOD

LONDON, Dec. 13.—A clue has been obtained in the case of the poisoning of Sir William Heywood, chief of Scotland Yard, which involves persons connected with a famous organization, according to the Evening News. The newspaper gives no details of what it describes as a "sensational development."

Sir William received a box of poisoned chocolates by mail on November 9. Believing the candy was a gift from a relative for his birthday, he tasted it and was taken with a severe illness from which he has not fully recovered.

SCENE OF PANDEMONIUM IN HOUSE OF COMMONS

LONDON, Dec. 13.—The house of commons was the scene of pandemonium this afternoon when the government said peace has rarely witnessed.

[illegible]

FIND MAN AND GIRL IN ELECTRA HOTEL BOTH BEING HELD

Registered as man and wife in a local hotel, a man and young girl were placed under arrest by Wichita department Wednesday night.

The man is being held and is charged to be in violation of the Mann act. The girl, who said she would be seventeen birthday next [illegible] is being detained by the police with whom she was at [illegible] when arrested. She said her home was in Arkansas.

The man was registered at the hotel as Charles Bailey, from Kansas. Bailey was a stolen automobile charge.

Bailey was brought to Wichita by officers from Kansas.

[illegible]

MUSTS ANSWER AS IMPORT DUTY ON FILES

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—Rep[illegible]

[illegible]

NOT BOUND UNDER RULES OF AMENDMENTS OF 1920

AUSTIN, Dec. 13.—Counties taking advantage of the optional provisions of the road bond amendment of 1920 before amendments to the state in 1925 were not bound under the terms of the 1920 amendments, the court of criminal appeals held today in upholding the state's contention in the case of [illegible] Bank of Los Angeles, charged on charge of refusing to [illegible] law. [illegible] Judge [illegible] of the criminal law court.

[illegible]

FIFTEEN YEAR SENTENCES ARE AFFIRMED AT AUSTIN

AUSTIN, Dec. 13.—Fifteen-year sentences against Virgil Miller of Anderson county and Eusebio Mejia, El Paso county, for criminal assault, returned by district courts of the respective counties, were affirmed by the court of criminal appeals today. Mejia was convicted of assaulting Isabel Gonzales, a 12-year-old girl.

The court reversed and remanded the [illegible] given V. C. Turner by [illegible] district court of [illegible] manslaughter, for refusing the lower court to grant a new trial because of a defective [illegible] given the jury.

CONCRETE SAFETY ZONE AT EIGHTH AND INDIANA REMOVED

The concrete safety zone at Eighth and Indiana, erected [illegible] as a result of the change in [illegible] of street cars, [illegible] Wednesday by [illegible].

W. J. [illegible] representing Valentine & [illegible], [illegible] of [illegible].

MANY WITNESSES BACK DARBY'S PLEA

(Continued from Page 1)

[illegible] from him by Lee Huff former chief of police?"

"Yes," was the reply.

"Did you see the defendant while Huff was questioning him?"

"I did."

"What was he doing?"

"He was crying, just as he had [illegible] when he made the statement [illegible]."

Attorneys for the defendant then asked him whether it wasn't a fact that Mr. Huff mistreated the defendant and that this action accounted for the boy crying. The witness answered that he did not [illegible] defendant mistreated at any [illegible] this state than usual.

Darby's Mother Testifies.

Mrs. H. Darby, mother of the defendant, approached the stand carrying a ledger book in her hand. [illegible] was asked and granted [illegible] the counsel to make his statement to the jury.

The mother testified that on the morning of April 7, referring to her son, she and her family, including the defendant and four or five others, left Burkburnett on a trip to Duncan. They were [illegible] and the defendant [illegible] of five horses [illegible] which they were [illegible] them.

[illegible] the movement of the [illegible] until the afternoon of April 9.

[illegible] cross examination she became [illegible] confused. She said that [illegible] left Burkburnett on the morning of April 8 and that it was Sunday. Later she admitted that she was in error as to the day of the week when a calendar was introduced. She also later corrected the date and stated positively that they left Burkburnett on the morning of April 7.

Says Defendant Is 22.

"My son, the defendant, is 22 years old now," the mother testified. "During his entire lifetime he has been in school only six months. He cannot read nor write. He [illegible] to scratch his name."

She was shown the signature to the alleged confession as a forgery and stated that it was her son's signature.

John B. Smith, proprietor of a feed store in Burkburnett, said the defendant had purchased some feed from him on the afternoon of April 6, 1921, and that he met the defendant and his father and mother and the teamsters on the morning of the seventh as they were coming to town.

L. M. Hill, a teaming contractor who made a trip to Duncan and was returning home on April 7, testified that he met the caravan and saw the defendant at Burkburnett on the afternoon of April 7.

The jury which is trying the case under Judge P. A. Martin of the 30th district court consists of H. [illegible] Wilson, Lee Gambrell, N. M. Mathews, Adolph Frier, Jack Lee, F. H. Collard, Henry Schneider, [illegible] Winfrey, F. Tiepold, B. F. Norwood, C. Gilbert and A. O. Jones.

TEXAS LAUNDRY OWNERS ASSOCIATION MEETING

DALLAS, Dec. 13.—The Texas laundry owners' association met in [illegible] annual convention here today. O. G. Leechman, [illegible], in his opening address outlined advancement made by laundries in the large cities of the state during the past year and [illegible] steps toward greater efficiency in what he described as one of the fastest growing industries in Texas.

Children's books at the Decorators—adv.

FOOTBALL TEAM MEMBERS TO BE GUESTS OF ROTARY CLUB

The 25 "letter men" of the high school football team will be guests of the Rotary club at the weekly luncheon Thursday at the Kemp.

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SILK DRESSES
We doubt if you have ever seen a prettier collection of the better dresses offered in a sale Thursday, Friday and Saturday—
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Definitely portraying the smart silhouettes of the hour, a basque, a gracefully draped fashion or gown whose influence is circular—sleeves smartly brief or lengthened into elaborate factors of the mode.
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LEAGUE LEADERS ARE DEFEATED BY METHODIST TEAM

Standing

Team—	W.	L.	Pct
Collier and Landon	4	1	[illegible]
American Legion	4	1	[illegible]
Caines		[illegible]	
Methodists	3	2	[illegible]
Kemp Kell Co[illegible]		[illegible]	
Texhoma			
Battery		1	
Hall [illegible]		1	0

[illegible] the Methodist [illegible] this season [illegible] hard [illegible] minutes of play [illegible] the Methodists [illegible] tory. Hill Davis and Whatley [illegible] Park were a part of the Methodist machine [illegible] showed up well on their first appearance with the [illegible]

Collier and Landon [illegible] score by three points at the end of the first period but were unable to hold the lead. The Methodists came back rapidly in the second half and tied the score, for a while it looked as if the game [illegible] C. Neal and Davis continued their consistent goal shooting [illegible] the end of the game.

Box score:

COLLIER & LANDON	F.	FT	P.
Montgomery f	[illegible]	1	
Farquhar f			1
McMillan lf	1	[illegible]	0
Hudspeth rg	[illegible]	[illegible]	1
Bassell c		[illegible]	
Tate lg		0	[illegible]
		1	4

METHODIST	FG.	FT.	P.
C. Neal lg	3	4	1
Hill rg	2	[illegible]	1
Davis c	4	0	0
Relson lf	0	0	0
E. Neal lf	0	0	2
Whatley rf	0	0	0
	9	4	4

Substitutions: McMillan for Farquhar, E. Neal for Relson. Referee McCain.

CHANNEL IS CLOSED AT DIVERSION DAM, BUILDING SPILLWAY

Closing of the river channel by the diversion dam embankment has been effected by contractors on the structure, the earthen fill having been completed to a height of six feet across the stream.

The damming of the stream before the completion of the spillway is considered a risky undertaking and a heavy rain would do [illegible] cause considerable damage. However a temporary [illegible] spillway is under construction and [illegible] Meyer of the [illegible] is hoping for the same good [illegible] that attended his work on the storage dam.

Excavation for the head gate at the canal intake and for the main service spillway is well advanced with a number of teams and two power shovels at work.

Sub-contractors on the south side canal are nearing the end of their labors and are hopeful that completion [illegible] reached as to the north side canal before [illegible] they may maintain their organizations intact.

PROPOSED WATERWAY OPENS ROUTE TO NEW ORLEANS

CHICAGO, Dec. 1[illegible].—A large section of northwestern Indiana [illegible] be opened to direct waterway [illegible] [illegible] with New Orleans and other [illegible] of the Illinois waterway work, which is to be [illegible] in the spring.

The [illegible] project includes dams and [illegible] to make 60 miles [illegible] Illinois [illegible] between [illegible] and [illegible] navigable [illegible] link between the Great Lakes and the Mississippi.

The [illegible] river is formed by the junction of the Des Plaines and [illegible] [illegible]

As a [illegible] an immense lake [illegible] [illegible] 72 miles into [illegible]

If the [illegible] built by [illegible] then be able [illegible] to a point south of [illegible]

Governor [illegible] in the Kankakee [illegible] home is at Kankakee [illegible] near the Indiana line.

The Indiana [illegible] has developed a [illegible] trict, whose crops might [illegible] veyed direct to New Orleans by water, the governor says.

BOXER FORFEITS PURSE DUE TO REPEATED FOULS

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—The state athletic commission has ordered forfeited the purse of Dave Rosenberg in his boxing contest with Mike O'Dowd here Thanksgiving night because he lost the contest on a foul after repeated warnings.

Learning Fast

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 13.—Stones, bricks and bats were hurled [illegible] day when spectators at a baseball game between the Mexico City champion team and the Nogales, Sonora, team resented an attack on the umpire by Manager Ma[illegible] of the Nogales nine. Mar[illegible] rested and the Nogales [illegible] mostly Americans, were escorted to their hotel by the police.

Because the holidays are near, don't neglect your eyes. [illegible] Optical Co., 815 Scott avenue.—adv.

TO MANAGE SENATORS IN 1923

OWEN BUSH

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—Owen (Donie) Bush, veteran [illegible] [illegible] the fortunes of the American league baseball club [illegible] in the 1923 pennant race. Announcement that Bush would succeed Clyde Milan, whose retirement as manager was made known [illegible] [illegible] the [illegible] phone [illegible] New York, where he is [illegible] American league con[illegible]

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Billy Evans' Honor Roll—

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Ends—Gray, Princeton; Kopf, W. & J.; Berry, Lafayette; Jenkins, Harvard; Hufford, Penn State; Eddy, Yale; Stout, Princeton.

Tackles—Guhan, Brown; Treat, Princeton; Neidlinger, Dartmouth; Meredith, W. Virginia; McMillen, Penn State; Hanson, Cornell; Baker, Princeton; Thurman, Pennsylvania; Eastman, Harvard; Mulligan, Navy; Diebel, Lafayette; Sundstrom, Cornell; Bolles, Navy.

Guards—Schwab, Lafayette; Sack, Pittsburg; Breidster, Army; Bedenk, Penn State; Setron, W. Va.; Cross, Yale; Welch, Colgate; Carney, Navy; Hubbard, Harvard.

Centers—Bowser, Pittsburg; Garbisch, Army; Bentz, Penn State; Heaphy, Boston College; Lovejoy, Yale; Culver, Syracuse; Eckstein, Brown.

Quarterbacks—Smythe, Army; Darling, Boston College; Buell, Harvard; Pfann, Cornell; Barnkert, W. & J.; Robertson, Carnegie Tech; Gorman, Princeton; Brennan, Lafayette.

Halfbacks—Kaw, Cornell; Brunner, Lafayette; Wilson, Penn State; Nardacci, W. Va.; Millor, Pennsylvania; Barchet, Navy; Ramsey, Cornell; Simendinger, Holy Cross; Gazella, Lafayette; Flanagan, Pittsburg; Zimmerman, Syracuse; Jordan, Yale; Gehrke, Harvard.

Fullbacks—Owen, Harvard; Hewitt, Pittsburg; Wood, Army; Mallory, Yale; Cleaves, Princeton; Beck, Vermont.

By BILLY EVANS [illegible]

[illegible]

All-Eastern Grid Eleven

[illegible]

BASKET BALL QUIZ

by Referee—

FORFEIT

When a game is forfeited by a team what is regarded as the final score?

A forfeited game is never to be desired. Regardless of whether or not a team believes it is being unjustly treated it should play the game under protest and continue to the finish. If a game is forfeited the score is regarded as 2 to 0.

DISQUALIFY

What is a disqualifying foul?

When in the opinion of the official a player is getting too rough or that he is unfairly [illegible] for the [illegible] class [illegible] as a disqualifying foul and remove the offending player from the game.

JUMPING

Can a player jump center without having his hand in contact with his back?

When the ball is put in play in the center each center player shall stand with both feet in his half of the [illegible] with one hand in contact [illegible] the middle of the small of his back.

REMOVAL

In what cases can the referee remove a player from the game?

If a player makes four personal fouls he automatically removes himself from the game. The referee [illegible] points to the exit sign when a [illegible] personal foul is committed [illegible] the same player. He can also be ejected from the game for a disqualifying foul.

Former Office Boy Has Unique Tribute To Wanamaker

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 13.—Among the host of tributes to the memory of John Wanamaker, the hall [illegible] religious leader and philanthropist, [illegible] today from all [illegible]

He was always at work on time.

With these seven words Mr. Wanamaker's first office boy [illegible] the [illegible] of the world [illegible] success. The [illegible] boy who [illegible] delivered parcels and gradually learned to do more important [illegible] work for his employer now is [illegible] of the store.

[illegible] yesterday thousands of letters and telegrams of condolence have been received [illegible] are at half mast here for the time on the occasion of the death of a private citizen. An innovation in the realm of advertising [illegible] which Mr. Wanamaker was one of the first big leaders was the [illegible] today of eulogies [illegible] his life in connection with [illegible] his rising of his principal competitors. [illegible] schools will be closed [illegible] tomorrow and the Wanamaker stores which have been closed since yesterday morning will [illegible] until after the funeral. Mr. Wanamaker's body will lie in state in Bethany Presbyterian church, of which he was one of the founders, from 10 o'clock until [illegible] tomorrow. [illegible] [illegible] private.

DROP DISCUSSION OF BEER SALE BY GLASS

VICTORIA, B. C., Dec. 1[illegible].—[illegible] of [illegible] the British [illegible] [illegible] decided to drop further [illegible] discussion of proposals to sell beer by the glass in the province. This disposes of a plan for a plebescite on the question.

CONFERENCE TO LIMIT ARMAMENTS FAILURE

MOSCOW, Dec. 13.—The conference on limitation of armaments which was being participated in by Russia, Poland, Latvia, Esthonia and Finland has resulted in failure and [illegible] ended.

DRASTIC ACTION IN KLEPPER CASE

WILLIAM H. KLEPPER

By NEA Service

LOUISVILLE, KY., Dec. 13.—Everybody seems to be kicking William H. Klepper for a goal. By way of introduction William H. Klepper is president of the Portland club of the Pacific Coast league.

Perhaps it would be more correct to say that Klepper was president. At the present time his baseball status is rather clouded.

At a recent meeting of the National Association of Professional Baseball Leagues in Louisville, Klepper was forever barred from further participation in the affairs of that organization.

About a year ago Klepper got in bad with Commissioner Landis and was placed on baseball's ineligible list until 1925 for alleged action to defraud the Seattle, Wash., club out of the services of Manager William Kenworthy.

While in Seattle's service, Landis alleges, Klepper and Brewster agreed to purchase the Portland franchise, have Kenworthy declared a free agent and take him to Portland as manager. Klepper and Brewster each had one share of stock in the Seattle club. Landis says the other holders of the 500 shares of stock were kept in ignorance of this.

"While this situation is deplorable," says Landis in summing up his ruling, "it must be distinctly understood as a fundamental of baseball that no club will be permitted to profit from conditions fraudulently created on another club with the definite purpose of enticing that club's players away."

Ten dollars in gold free to the person submitting in writing the slogan most suitable for our business. Visit our wonderful establishment and you will be in a better position [illegible] biggest slogan. This offer terminates December 18. [illegible] Optical Co.—adv.

MANLEY OF DENVER CUTS DIVISION OVER DILLY MISKE

[illegible]

SMITH OF DALLAS NAMED S. M. U. CAPTAIN FOR 1923

DALLAS, Dec. 13.—Southern Methodist university's basket ball schedule has been announced to be as [illegible] January 15-16, Baylor at [illegible] 21, Texas A. & M. at Dallas; February 2-3, Oklahoma A. & M. at Stillwater; February [illegible] Texas University at Austin; [illegible] 16-17, Texas A. & M. at College Station; February 21-22, [illegible] A. & M. at Dallas; February 26-[illegible] Baylor at Waco; March 2-[illegible] Texas University at Dallas.

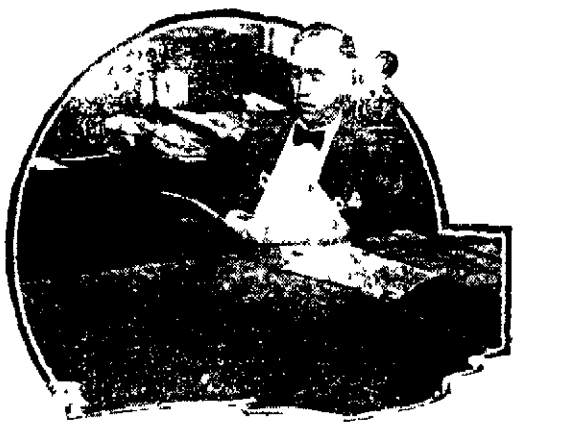
[illegible] M. Smith, tackle, of Dallas was elected captain of the 1923 [illegible] at a banquet [illegible] Fort Worth at the Texas Hotel Saturday night. [illegible] letters were awarded [illegible] seconds were also [illegible] Those receiving varsity [illegible]

[illegible] M. Smith, Dallas; John Mac[illegible], Dallas; William Eugene Bedford, [illegible]; Ward [illegible] Sanders, [illegible]; William Ladelle Howell, [illegible]; James H. Stewart, [illegible]; Newton, Dallas; [illegible] Del Rio; Earl [illegible], Dallas; [illegible] D. Boyd; [illegible] Spencer Brewer, Dallas; [illegible], Dallas; William [illegible], Dallas; Logan H. Stollen[illegible]; John Alton Ste[illegible]; Hulert A. Wal[illegible]; Earl Huff[illegible]; John M. Vison, Plain[illegible]; Harris Royse, [illegible] of Wichita Falls.

[illegible] following received second [illegible] Dawson, Dallas; Mar[illegible] Russell, M[illegible] Irby, Dallas [illegible] Pittsburgh [illegible] Texas.

[illegible] are excellent Christmas [illegible] for mother or father. Let [illegible] how this can be [illegible] Faith Optical Co.—adv.

[illegible] make a real [illegible]—adv.



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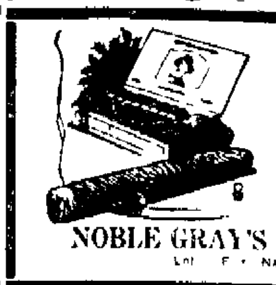

Smokes for Christmas

[illegible] think of anything that will give the men [illegible] pleasure [illegible] the smokes and [illegible] thoughtfulness

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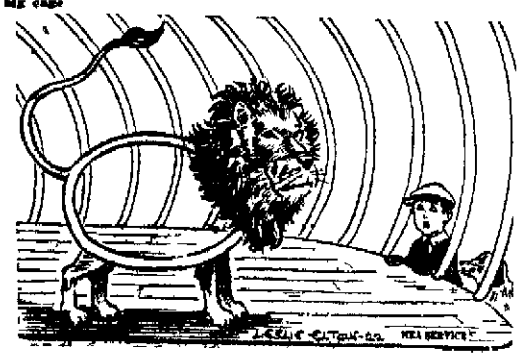
JACK DAW IN HOOPLAND

By FILTON

"Now" said one of the little Hoopsy Dinkies after the singing was over "we will take the visitors to the Hoopland zoo" This time Jack Daw was told to take hip and all sidewaps in a flying hoop we on had rolled up to his side He did so and was soon lifted off the ground

While sailing through the air Jack looked down and saw all the Hoopsy Dinkies and the other hoops rolling along on the ground Some were jumping up and down and they caused a great cloud of dust Then the flying hoop settled down to the ground and let Jack off in front of a big cage



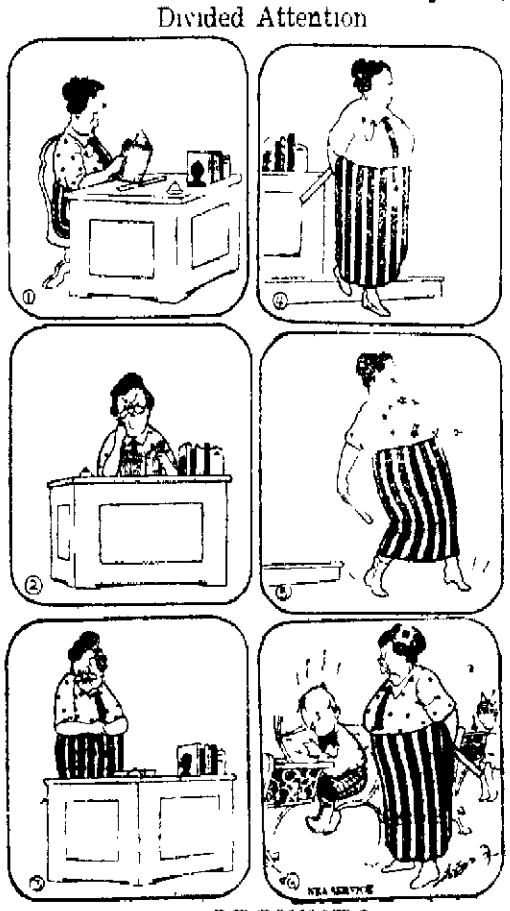
"Here we have the Hoopland lion" announced a little hoop who stood just outside the cage door The lion roared as if to greet Jack and Flip answered the huge king of Hoopland wild beasts with a meek bark Then they moved on and next came to an animal which was made of two hoops (Continued)

BUGHOUSE FABLES

TAKEN FROM LIFE

—By Martin

Divided Attention



TOOTS AND CASPER

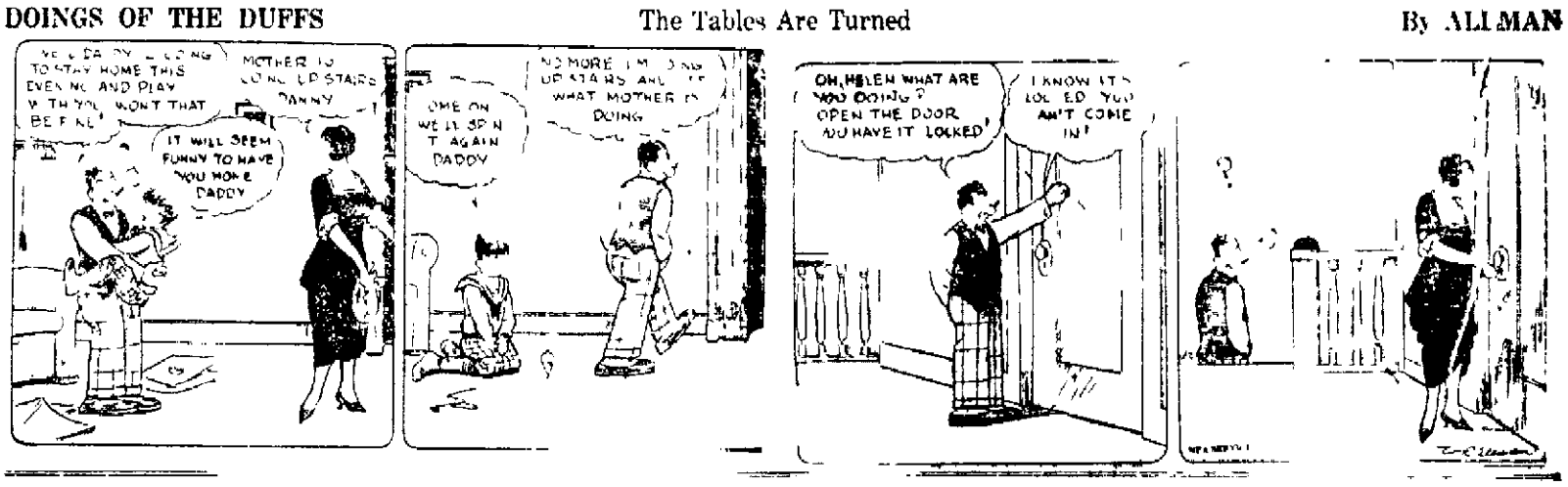
Toots Does Her Bit When It Comes to Bossing the Job

By J. E. MURPHY

DOINGS OF THE DUFFS

The Tables Are Turned

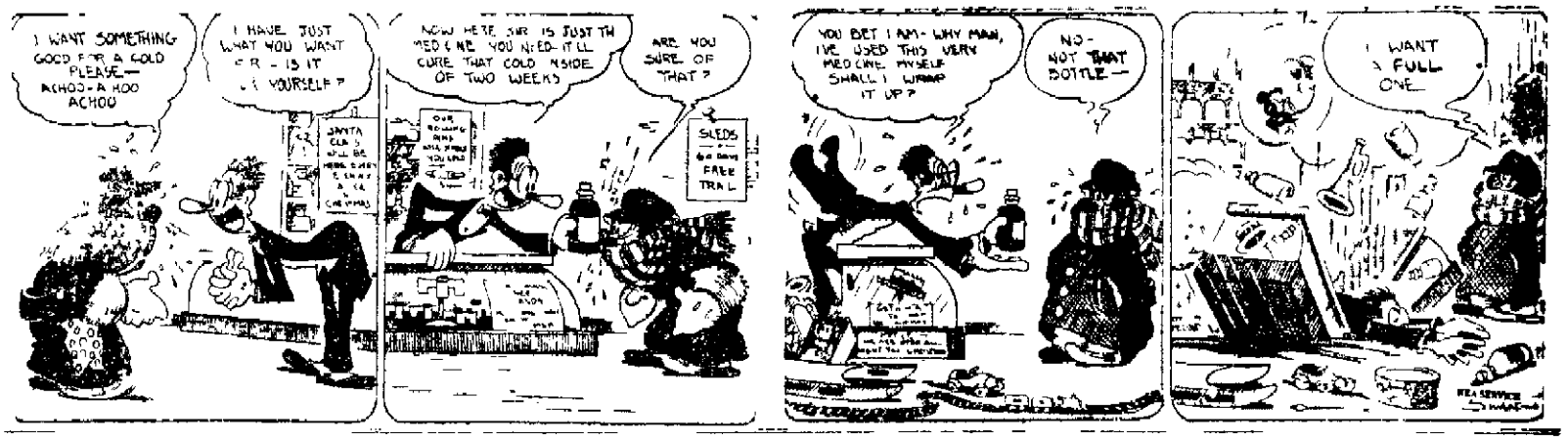
By ALLMAN



SALESMAN SAM

Well, You Can't Blame Him

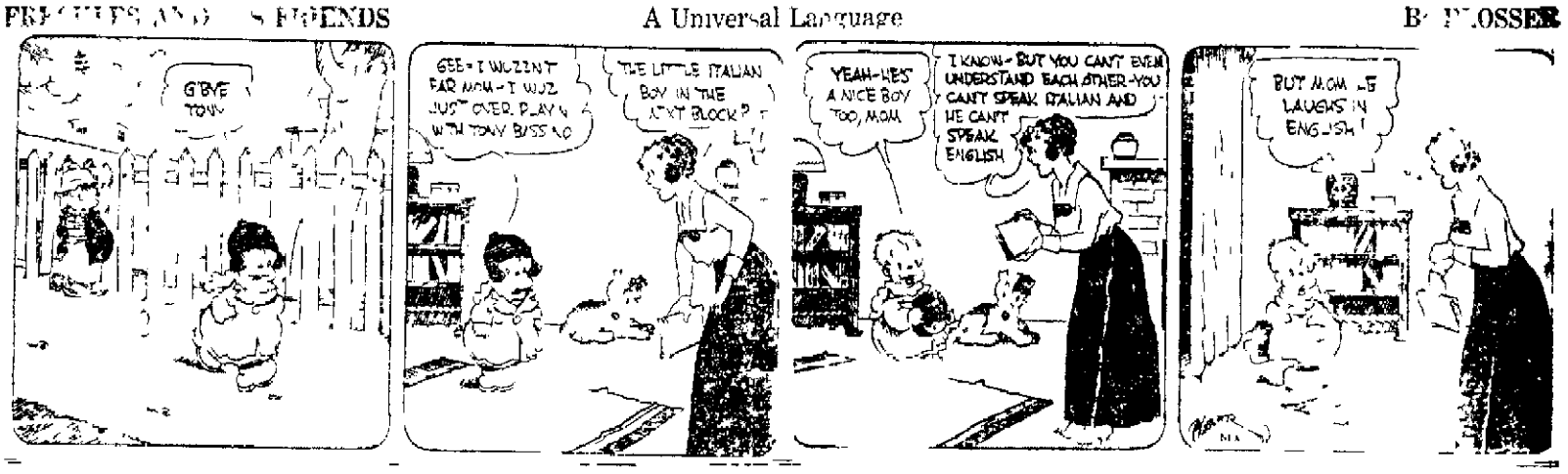
By SWAN



FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

A Universal Language

By BLOSSER



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CHAS. H. SMOOT, H P
W J WEBB, Secretary
Work in the Mark Master degree Monday [illegible]

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P B CURD, W M
ALBERT ELLIS, Sec'y
Work [illegible] craft degree Wednesday [illegible] Master degree Friday Dec [illegible]

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W. A. HAMMACK, E C
WM J WEBB, Recorder
Election of officers in the Commandery Thursday Dec 21

Wichita Falls Council No. 146, R. & S. M.—Stated meeting first Monday night of each month at 7 p m.
GEO A SMOOT, T I M
W. J WEBB, Rec.

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Wichita Falls Lodge, No. 1105 B. P. O. E., meets first and third Mondays of each month at Elks club, corner Eighth and Scott streets. Visiting members invited to attend.
B. F JOHNSON, Exalted Ruler
H. C. ENGLISH, Secretary

Panhandle Lodge No. 341, I. O. O. F.—Meets every Monday night at Odd Fellows Hall 603 Scott street, at 7 30 p m. Visiting brothers are requested to meet with us.
J. T JAMES, N G
SAM JUDAH, Sec.

Rebekah Lodge, No. [illegible]—Meets second and fourth Thursdays at 2 30 and first and third Saturday nights at Swartz Woods Bldg., 605 Scott avenue.
[illegible] WALLACE, N. G
ETHEL MARTIN, Sec.

Wichita Encampment, No. [illegible], I. O. O. F.—Meets the second and fourth Thursday nights at 7 30 p m in Odd Fellows Hall 603 Scott street. Visiting Patriarchs are requested to meet with us.
L. J. PACK, C. P
T. O SIMMONS, Rec. Scribe

Maskat Temple, A. A. O. N. M. S.—Meets second Tuesday of each month at Masonic Temple, Tenth and Scott, second floor. All visiting Nobles invited to attend.
W. D CLINE, Potentate
C. O FRITZ, Recorder

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CLEM J. GALLAGHER, F. S., 1404 Holliday street.

Durwood Grove Woodmen Circle No. [illegible]—Meets every Friday afternoon 2:30 in Labor Temple, 102 Travis. Visitors welcome.
SARAH ROARK, Guardian
MYRTLE BAKER, Clerk

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WILLIAM L. McCLURE, Master Councilor
GEORGE E. ROSE, Scribe

NOTICE
Regular meeting F. O. E. 1559 Sunday night at [illegible] at Labor Temple. All members in arrears and their friends are welcome. We have a surprise for all of [illegible].
J. E. BARRY, W. P.

PERSONAL.

SPIRITUALIST meeting [illegible] Labor Temple [illegible] Good mediums [illegible]

MRS ANNIE MITCHUM, medium. Readings [illegible] Eighth st.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Sunday evening [illegible] Commercial cafe and [illegible] office, a red fox fur. Reward if returned to Miss Edith [illegible] Avalon.

LOST [illegible]

MALE HELP WANTED

MEN to learn barber trade [illegible] Imperial barber college, 617 Seventh st, Wichita Falls.

TWO NEAT appearing young men 21 to 28 to travel on road. [illegible] Expenses advanced [illegible]

[illegible] We train you. Information free. Write 687 Railway Exchange, Omaha, Neb.

FEMALE HELP WANTED.

GIRL wanted for confectionery work at [illegible]

WANTED—White girl to do cooking [illegible] 1500 Buchanan.

WANTED—Middle aged lady to do [illegible] Apply to Mrs W. D Mc[illegible]

FOR RENT—A well furnished very [illegible] room [illegible] town for couple who work [illegible] good yard dog [illegible] 1010 Travis.

MANICURIST wanted. Apply Kemp [illegible]

WANTED—[illegible] woman for house work, reasonable salary and [illegible] 804 Travis.

WANTED—Young colored nurse [illegible] Apply 1505 Huff ave.

WANTED—[illegible] sales ladies over 16 [illegible] experience unnecessary. Apply [illegible] S. H Kress & Co.

MALE & FEMALE HELP WANTED

WANTED—Neat appearing young [illegible] lady for sales work. If you are making less than $8 a week write for particulars. Experience unnecessary. Address Loyd [illegible] 603 Jefferson st, Amarillo.

[illegible] men age 18 over wanting [illegible] government railway [illegible] office positions. Experience unnecessary. Full particulars write [illegible] W R [illegible] expert 9 Pope Bldg, Washington.

SALESMEN WANTED

[illegible] manufacturer of trunks [illegible] Full time or pos[illegible] suits shown. Address [illegible] Petersburg, Va.

SALESMEN—Yeast mints sold not all stores, big repeater, no competition [illegible] business for yourself. Address 624 Lins bldg [illegible] Texas.

SALESMEN—[illegible] three men [illegible] capable of [illegible] field managers in [illegible] months time. This is our opportunity to become a member of [illegible] firm or organization of its kind in the [illegible] Experience not necessary [illegible] the business and pay you well while earning. See Mr [illegible] 811 B Tenth st.

SITUATIONS WANTED, MALE

WANT job as mechanic. Twelve years experience. Or job as truck driver [illegible] No. 485.

SITUATIONS WANTED FEMALE

I DO all kinds of hair work. Braids, transformations, curls. Mrs W. P [illegible] Seventh st.

WANTED—Position by several [illegible] head waiter [illegible] Mr Lindley.

WANTED—Position as cook or housekeeper in small hotel. Can furnish references. Phone 3418.

WANTED—Washings [illegible] called for and delivered. Phone 5650.

ROOM AND BOARD.

NICE room with board, very reasonable price. Call at 1007 Burnett [illegible] 6316.

WANTED—Roommate for refined [illegible] 1310 Ninth. Phone [illegible]

WANTED—Young man roommate [illegible] board in private home, all modern conveniences. Steam heat. Phone [illegible]

BEDROOMS FOR RENT

NICE comfortable bedrooms, reasonable, clean and desirable. 1499 Tenth. Phone [illegible]

AMERICAN Hotel, Tenth and Indiana ave. All outside rooms. Hot and cold water in all rooms. Modern hotel service. Absolutely clean. Under new management.

[illegible] furnished bedroom [illegible]

[illegible] bedroom [illegible] Tenth and Lamar [illegible] clean and comfortable for two. Separate beds [illegible] bath and shower [illegible] Warm [illegible]

[illegible] rent board [illegible]

FOR RENT—[illegible] bedroom [illegible] garage. 1101 La[illegible]

[illegible] refined lady [illegible] breakfast if desired [illegible]

FOR RENT—[illegible] large front bed[illegible] all modern [illegible] 1700 Burnett.

[illegible] rooms reasonable [illegible]

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished bedroom [illegible] front and side entrance [illegible] pavement. References. [illegible] Scott.

HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS

THREE unfurnished rooms, front [illegible] back entrance. 1514 Magnolia.

[illegible] furnished rooms [illegible] garage [illegible]

FOR RENT—Two [illegible] furnished [illegible] Buchanan st. Phone [illegible]

[illegible] furnished housekeeping rooms [illegible] 504 [illegible]

FOR RENT—[illegible] couple without children [illegible] three unfurnished [illegible] Rent reasonable [illegible] Fourteenth st.

NEW MELBA
[illegible] furnished housekeeping [illegible] children. We only [illegible] to $10 per week [illegible] Buff.

[illegible] with privilege of kitchen [illegible] breakfast room, also garage. [illegible] Thirteenth. Phone [illegible]

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished [illegible]

NICE furnished room for rent, reasonable rent. 1116 Seventeenth st. Phone [illegible]

APARTMENTS

FOR RENT—Completely furnished [illegible] private bath [illegible]

TWO room apartment [illegible] per week. 505 Th[illegible]

FOR RENT—Three room apartment [illegible] garage [illegible] 608 Eighth. Phone [illegible]

HOUSEKEEPING apartment [illegible] Phone 2901.

[illegible] nicely furnished apartment [illegible]

FOR RENT—Furnished apartments [illegible] conveniences [illegible]

FURNISHED [illegible] two large [illegible] Phone [illegible]

HOUSEHOLD GOODS.

LADIES' NOTICE
[illegible] all Mick's Furniture [illegible] your second hand furniture and Victrolas. We exchange [illegible] second hand [illegible]
MICK'S FURNITURE [illegible]

[illegible] GAS HEATERS
[illegible] good quality.

WE SELL FOR LESS
[illegible] lower prices, credit arranged or good discount for cash [illegible] taken in trade.
[illegible] FURNITURE CO
[illegible] Phone 6011

[illegible] piano and breakfast room set. 1500 Tilden st.

THE OUTTA-LUCK CLUB

Papa and Luther Exchange Compliments

By DOK WILLARD

Put Personality Into Your Giving

Read the Christmas Gift Suggestions

GIFTS FOR THE HOME

AUTOMOBILE heaters increase the pleasure and comfort of winter driving. McFall Bros.

AUTOMOBILE robes, an ideal present for the entire family. [illegible] Bros.

AUTOMOBILE radiators [illegible] Scott.

A VICTROLA, the ideal gift [illegible] Mick's [illegible]

CORONA—The personal writing machine. An ideal gift for everyone. Easy payments put it in the reach of all. Wichita Typewriter Exchange, Kemp hotel. Phone [illegible]

EDISON Phonograph, a gift for the entire family. [illegible] Phonograph [illegible]

LET Mick's Furniture Co. be Santa Claus to you. Furnish these pieces of useful furniture to really enjoy.
MICK'S FURNITURE CO
[illegible] Phone [illegible]

ELECTRIC heating pads. Wichita Falls Electric.

GLASSES as fitted by Faith Optical Company [illegible] will give [illegible] other lots of comfort and pleasure. We will be glad to explain how this [illegible] arranged.

[illegible] Tables are [illegible] appreciated Christmas gifts [illegible] John L. Jones Furniture Co [illegible]

LAMPS—Artificial flowers, telephone [illegible] lamp frames, pillows [illegible] arms, lunch [illegible] Mrs Inghram's Shop at Miller Ferguson.

[illegible] BATHS, slightly used, in good shape. Ideal presents. Star [illegible] 910 Indiana st.

TURN old [illegible] into new. [illegible] Largest and assortment of wall paper in the city [illegible] White & Towne [illegible]

[illegible] tickets [illegible] Majestic [illegible] Christmas [illegible]

[illegible] THE home—[illegible] of good [illegible] the [illegible] Daily Times [illegible] them enjoy the many excellent features that has won it the [illegible] it enjoys in this section of Texas and Southern Oklahoma.

[illegible] and blankets are appropriate useful gifts for [illegible]

[illegible] car in good condition [illegible] wash [illegible] greasing gasoline [illegible] Garage [illegible]

EVERYTHING for that Christmas [illegible] made meat products [illegible] All makings [illegible] Christmas fruit cakes [illegible] Grocery and Market, 800[illegible] Phone 2936.

[illegible] those clothes ready for [illegible] the oldest [illegible] Cleaning and Dye Works [illegible]

[illegible] For a perfect [illegible] Nash [illegible] 1312 [illegible] Scott.

[illegible] largest assortment in the [illegible] Store.

[illegible] trade doll beds [illegible] chairs, tables [illegible] room suits [illegible] trunks [illegible] Furniture Co. [illegible] Phone [illegible]

GIFTS FOR THE HOME

[illegible]

GIFTS FOR CHILDREN

[illegible]

GIFTS FOR HIM

AUTOMOBILE radiators [illegible] Scott.

[illegible] silk shirts and [illegible] Mrs Inghram's [illegible] at Miller Ferguson.

[illegible]

GIFTS FOR HER

AUTOMOBILE radiators [illegible]

[illegible] Mrs Inghram's [illegible] at Miller Ferguson.

[illegible]

WHOLE FAMILY

[illegible]

SPECIAL NOTICE

MATTRESSES renovated. Have us bring samples of ticking to your home to select from. We will call for and deliver same day. Bell Mattress Co., phone 2413.

NOW is the time to have you auto recovered and curtains repaired [illegible] weather sets. Wichita Top and Painting Co. Phone [illegible] 1003 Eighth st.

WINFREY FIXIT SHOP
Key, lock and safe work a specialty. With Collier & Landon, 825 Indiana. Phone 6 13.

WE KNOW our business and want [illegible] Moore Plumbing Co. Phone 5 46.

PRACTICAL house moving, raising and leveling. Jack Humphrey. Phone [illegible]

PLUMBING — Satisfactory kind done and guaranteed by Chas. D Hughes. Phone day 6011, night [illegible]

ALL Fulton Mattress Factory for mattresses and goose feather pillows. Will submit samples of ticking, make to order and deliver same day if desired. 402 Indiana. Phone [illegible]

[illegible] SEVENTH ST. room 4. Grinding, sharpening and repairing in general.

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For week days (excepting Saturdays) copy must be in office not later than 7 00 p m.

For Saturday's issue, not later than 11 00 a m.

For Sunday's issue not later than 9 00 o'clock Saturday night.

BRING your furs and hides to Spot [illegible] Grocery Co. 1017 Ohio. Top price.

NEW [illegible] cotton linters [illegible] ticking $6.50 [illegible] $7 [illegible] grade staple cotton [illegible] ticking $25.00 at [illegible] Mattress Factory, 407 Indiana ave. Phone 2930.

BRING your clothes to the Hand[illegible] 16 Fourth.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING
Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Times Publishing Company [illegible] held at the Times building [illegible] January [illegible] 1923 [illegible] for the purpose of electing a board of directors for [illegible] and transacting any other business [illegible]
[illegible] Howard, Secretary.

[illegible]

SPECIAL NOTICES.

CARPENTER work of all kinds neatly done by experienced mechanic, all work guaranteed, free estimates, small jobs solicited. Phone Burle [illegible] 4062.

WE KNOW our business and want your [illegible] Moore Plumbing [illegible]

CARPENTER work of all kinds neatly done by experienced mechanic, all work guaranteed, free estimates, small jobs solicited. Phone Burle 4963.

APPLES APPLES APPLES

Just received three car loads of the largest and finest apples [illegible] had this season and [illegible] trade wants some fine apples [illegible] or call at 1007 Lamar av. Stacked apples extra large and [illegible] 50 cents per bushel.

WANT carpenter work, small [illegible] preferred, price reasonable. Work guaranteed. Phone [illegible]

TODAY'S BLUNDER CORRECTED

F. ED HOWARD
Postmaster, Wichita Falls

The word City should not be used as a part of the address on a letter or package. It does not take much longer to write out the name of the city with the state and it may save annoying delay. Letters which are sealed with a sponge and [illegible] up with the stamps are dampened with a sponge frequently stick together and if a letter addressed City sticks to a letter addressed to another city and should be misthrown to that other city it is a matter of chance whether or not it will be delivered and if it is not delivered there is sure to be a delay.

Traveling men sometimes fall into the habit of using the word City as a part of the address forgetful of the fact that when the letter is mailed it will not be in the city in which they reside and there [illegible] and perhaps non delivery is the result. The [illegible] North, South, East or West before the name of the street should always be used [illegible] when it is required as a part of the address.

POULTRY AND SUPPLIES

[illegible] shipment of [illegible] Turkeys [illegible] Phone [illegible] Star [illegible] 1 Indiana ave.

FOR SALE—Speedway farm [illegible] milk fed [illegible] fresh [illegible] W. E. Week[illegible]

FOR SALE—[illegible] Pedigreed stock from White Leghorns [illegible] from [illegible] unequaled [illegible] prize winning [illegible] Speedway Farm W. E. Weeks. Phone [illegible]

[illegible]

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Real Estate Transfers

[illegible]

J. [illegible] Harl [illegible] L. A. Froning [illegible] DuBose [illegible]

[illegible] W. W. Swartz [illegible] 140 acres of [illegible] B F M [illegible] No. 11 [illegible] $156 [illegible] W. Coffee [illegible]

[illegible] to J. T. A. [illegible] one half [illegible] addition [illegible]

[illegible] Peirce [illegible] to W. F. [illegible] Scotland [illegible] $2.

Leases and Assignments

F. A. [illegible] to [illegible] Cooper [illegible] of Mary Ann Brush survey [illegible] survey 336.

[illegible] to [illegible] R. Jeffers et al [illegible] block 5 [illegible]

[illegible] to Virginia P. Jeffers [illegible] acres [illegible] Waggoner [illegible] lands.

LIVESTOCK

WANTED—Wheat pasturage for [illegible] head of [illegible] Ice Co. Phone [illegible]

DOGS, CATS AND PETS.

FOR SALE—Lemon spotted pointer puppy eight months [illegible] a nice time to train her. Reason for selling. Phone [illegible]

FOR SALE—[illegible] Terrier [illegible] months old [illegible] Taylor [illegible]

STRAYED [illegible] reward [illegible]

FOR SALE [illegible] Burnett st.

FINANCIAL.

WANTED—To buy first lien vendor lien notes. Phone 6627.

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

FOR SALE—Nice stock of groceries [illegible] Wichita Falls [illegible] parties are addressed [illegible] Times.

FOR SALE—[illegible] If [illegible] answer this ad [illegible] cash [illegible] Times.

[illegible] cash to [illegible] Box 13 [illegible]

OIL LANDS AND LEASES

WANTED—[illegible] contract for [illegible] Amicable [illegible] bldg [illegible]

OIL WELL MACHINERY AND SUPPLIES

FOR SALE—[illegible] standard rig [illegible]

FOR SALE—[illegible] three phase [illegible] all sizes. Phone [illegible] 5412.

AUTOS FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Ford coupe 192[illegible] model, good condition [illegible] Phone [illegible]

CLASSIFIED ADS [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] Christmas. Some terms. 1019 Tenth.

FURNITURE FOR SALE.

WHEN you want to sell your used furniture and get the best price [illegible]

CHRISTMAS SPECIALS
[illegible] tables $6 00, $10 [illegible] [illegible] $1 [illegible] and $ [illegible] large chiffonier.

[illegible] mahogany book case [illegible]

Real bargains [illegible] beds [illegible] and luggage [illegible] small and large [illegible] other articles.
[illegible] FURNITURE
[illegible] 617 Indiana

MAHOGANY [illegible] good condition [illegible] cash [illegible] Harrison st.

FIVE rooms [illegible] bedroom [illegible] dining room [illegible] four piece living room suite [illegible] gas cook stove, three heaters, Thor washing machine, Singer sewing machine [illegible] dresser. Will sell any part [illegible] 1606 Tenth.

FIVE [illegible] gas ranges, Singer sewing machine [illegible] mahogany rockers, two [illegible] bedroom [illegible] walnut bed, oak dining room suite. 1315 Tenth.

WANTED—Five hundred [illegible] $10 each. Ten $1 down, $10 a month [illegible] taken in exchange to first payment [illegible]
JOHNSON [illegible] FURNITURE CO
[illegible] Seventh [illegible]

FOR SALE—[illegible] heater. 1107 Fifteenth.

FOR SALE—The furnishings of an eight room house. The house can be rented. Phone 63 [illegible]

FOR SALE MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE—[illegible]

FOR SALE—[illegible] hand [illegible]

FOR SALE—[illegible] homemade [illegible] all at 1600 [illegible]

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS

FOR SALE—One [illegible] [illegible] piano all [illegible] [illegible] American hotel.

FOR SALE—Record [illegible] Phone [illegible]

Times Want Ads bring results.

WANTED TO BUY.

WANTED—[illegible] second hand [illegible] shoes [illegible] Seventh. Phone [illegible]

WANTED—[illegible] furniture and [illegible] Phone 651 [illegible] Household [illegible]

[illegible]

STAR FURNITURE [illegible]

[illegible]

CARPET CLEANING

[illegible]

PAINTING AND DECORATING

[illegible] guaranteed. Phone [illegible]

DRESSMAKING AND SEWING

HEMSTITCHING [illegible] Mrs [illegible]

[illegible] dressmaking [illegible]

[illegible]

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE

[illegible]

MOVING AND STORAGE

[illegible] shipping, local [illegible] distance moving [illegible] Transfer. 802 Ohio. Phone [illegible]

[illegible] Transfer [illegible]

[illegible] Transfer [illegible]

SPECIAL NOTICE

PLUMBING—Our cars carry a complete line of repairing materials with them. You don't have to pay for that trip back to the shop. J. H. Castledine, 907 Van Buren. Phone 44.

MATTRESSES RENOVATED [illegible] Phone 4643 Box 642 [illegible] Mattress Co.

MOORE PLUMBING CO [illegible] Phone 5 [illegible]

PLUMBING—David Black. Phone 3 44.

THE SANITARY MATTRESS [illegible]

[illegible] Indiana [illegible] phone [illegible]

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How Much You've Been Thinking of Her All the Other Days of the Year

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Pick Out Just the Right One from Those Under "Gifts For Her" in the Christmas Gift Suggestions Columns in Today's Classified Section

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Phone 2442. 808 Lamar.

AUTOS WANTED.

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PROTECT your car. Have it painted in a steam heated room. Williams Top and Painting Co., phone 2336, 1004 Eighth-st.

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COMMERCIAL Auto Repair Shop. Ford motors overhauled, $15. Dial 4047. 1721 Sixth-st. Work guaranteed.

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ALL PARTS for some cars, some parts for all cars. Hughes Bros., 208 Indiana. Phone 5216.

PARTS and bearings for most every make of car at one-half factory cost. Why pay more.
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TRUCKS AND TRACTORS.

FOR SALE—Ford truck, '20 model; a bargain. 911 Scott ave.

FOR SALE or trade: Used "Cletrac" tractor. Will consider second-hand Ford in trade or sel cheap for cash. Write J. L. Moore, Box 1542, or call at Eldora Hotel.

HOUSES FOR RENT.

RENTS? Phone Helgerson, 2372.

SERVANT house to rent, money rent. 1601 Elizabeth.

FOR RENT—Modern six room house furnished, on pavement. Phone 5537.

FIVE room modern house newly papered throughout, on Southland car line—1219 Clark; block to pavement. [illegible] Phone owner, 2901.

FOUR room house, all improvements, unfurnished. Phone 2669, 409 Scott.

FOR RENT—Five room house newly papered, 1500 Burnett. Phone [illegible]

FOR RENT—Servant house in exchange for laundry. 1314 Eighteenth.

FOR RENT—Good five-room house across the street from Austin school. [illegible] family considered. A. R. Warland, owner. Phone 2627 or 6470.

FOR RENT—Modern 5-room house and garage. Phone 5457.

FOR RENT—Five room modern house at 1902 Buchanan; vacant Monday. $50 per month.
PATTON & MORRIS
[illegible] Phone 2225

FOR RENT—Modern 5-room house [illegible] Phone [illegible]

FOR RENT—Five-room house, [illegible] Will be vacant on 15th. [illegible] $35 per month. Phone 4814 or [illegible]

FIVE-ROOM modern home, good [illegible] with garage, close in. New [illegible] floors, recently [illegible] Price $55 per month. [illegible] R. E. John[illegible]

BUSINESS PLACES FOR RENT.

STORE room on Indiana-ave., near [illegible] theatre, for rent. Inquire [illegible] 714½ Ninth. Office [illegible] Phone 2011.

FOR SALE or Rent—One building [illegible] floor and space for office at 814 Ohio. Phone [illegible]

FOR RENT—Space 25x60 feet facing [illegible] also on rear of one establishment. Splendid storage. Faith Optical Co.

FOR RENT—[illegible] M. D. Walker, 6000.

FOR RENT, MISCELLANEOUS.

FOR RENT—Five acres in 2200 block Fifth st. Good land. Has small house, barn, cow shed, chicken house and bearing orchard. E. F. Riley Furniture Co.

WANTED TO RENT.

HAVE client who wants to rent building for merchandise business. Indiana street preferred. Jones Bros. Phone 4450, 505-7 American Nat'l Bank Bldg.

WANTED—To rent nicely furnished house with garage to couple. References given. Phone 5427.

HOUSES FOR SALE.

FIVE ROOM house, also vacant lot at Stamford, Texas, one block new high school, for sale or will trade for real estate or furniture in Wichita Falls or Dallas. Phone 2224 or 6011. Address box 457.

FOR SALE—Five-room house completely furnished; double garage and two-room servant house. 1202 Travis.

FOR SALE—House [illegible] This house has living room, sleeping room, kitchen, breakfast, porch, sleeping porch and bath room. [illegible] Garage on back of lot. 1417 Fillmore-st. Call after 6:30 p. m.

HOUSES FOR SALE.

WILL sacrifice 5 room house, well built, hardwood floors throughout; on pavement. Phone 2214.

IF YOU wish a real home in the best part of town at a sacrifice, go inside and look at it at 1502 Eleventh. Six rooms, breakfast room, and splendidly arranged. Servant house and garage. On the paving. For sale by owner. Go in and see it.

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LOTS FOR SALE.

WELL located lots in Highland, west side to Floral and Sunset Heights addition. On terms of $10 down and $10 per month.
DUNCAN, ALLISON & McKENZIE
508 City National Bank.
Phone 6001 or 4097.

FARMS AND RANCHES.

FOR SALE—800 acres of red sand unimproved farming land in Gaines county, $10 per acre. Easy terms. Mrs. Chas. M. Dublin, Odessa, Texas.

FOR SALE—Several small farms near town. Will consider trading for city property. H. Sonomaker, 227 American Nat'l Bank Bldg. Phone 5428.

REAL ESTATE, EXCHANGE.

WILL TRADE equity in six-room bungalow in Southland addition for lot on pavement.

Here is a dandy good house with $1750 incumbrance in easy monthly payments and owner will take well located lot on paved street for his equity. Here is a real opportunity to make a good trade. Phone 5307. Welch & Richardson, 704 Ninth-st.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY

In the district court of the United States for the northern district of Texas. In the matter of John Markham Finch, bankrupt, No. 187 in bankruptcy. First meeting of creditors. Office of referee, Wichita Falls, Texas, December 11, 1922. To the creditors of John Markham Finch of Wichita Falls, and district aforesaid, a bankrupt: Notice is hereby given that on the 11th day of December, A. D. 1922, said John Markham Finch was duly adjudicated bankrupt; and that the first meeting of the creditors of the bankrupt will be held at my office, in the city of Wichita Falls, Texas, on the 22nd day of December, A. D. 1922, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such business as may properly come before said meeting. Thelbert Martin, referee in bankruptcy.

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TIMES DAILY MARKETS

COTTON MARKET

New York Cotton.

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—Yesterday's sharp advance was followed by moderate reactions in the cotton market at the opening today. There was no overnight change in comment on yesterday's government crop report, but Liverpool was relatively easy and the market here opened at a decline of 1 to 5 points under liquidation and southern selling. December was easy owing to the circulation of about 20 notices and sold off to 24.82, or 18 points net lower. The reaction in Liverpool, however, was attributed to the decline in sterling which according the hope of increased exports and after selling at 25.05 on the call, January contracts here advanced to 25.12 or a point above yesterday's closing.

Trading became more active later with the market showing increased strength which appeared to be influenced by expectations of an improvement in export business. Such hopes were encouraged by the continued firmness of sterling and recent intimations from Washington that the administration was more disposed to aid in the solution of European problems.

Houses with foreign trade connections were credited with buying here and the local market worked up to 25.45 for January or 34 points net higher. There was enough realizing to cause reactions of 8 or 9 points from the best, but the market was firm around midday.

The early afternoon advance extended to 25.50 for January, contracts with the general list selling about 23 to 41 points net higher. There was enough realizing to check the movement at this level but prices were within 5 or 6 points of the top around 2 o'clock.

Cotton closed steady.

	High	Low	Close
December	25.40	24.82	25.32
January	25.52	25.02	25.35
March	25.76	25.29	25.67
May	25.78	25.24	25.57
July	25.46	24.91	25.28

New Orleans Cotton.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 13.—Poor cables caused recessions of 3 to 6 points on the more active months in the cotton market around the opening today, but buying orders were under the market and by the end of the first half hour prices were 4 to 7 points higher than the close of yesterday.

January first traded off to 24.76 and then reacted to 24.85 cents a pound.

[illegible] at [illegible] moderate further gains.

[illegible] 25.38 for January.

Messages to brokers here from [illegible] in Texas, claiming [illegible] spot demand and [illegible] from [illegible] reporting a better [illegible] Manchester market and [illegible] of a total of [illegible] November [illegible] American mills from the [illegible] kept the market steady [illegible]

Cotton closed steady at a net gain of [illegible]

	Open	High	Low	Close
December	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
January	[illegible]	24.78	[illegible]	[illegible]
March	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
May	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
July	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

Liverpool Cotton.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. [illegible] prices [illegible] American [illegible] fair [illegible] good middling [illegible] middling [illegible] low middling [illegible] good ordinary [illegible] ordinary [illegible] Sales [illegible] American. Receipts [illegible] bales including [illegible] American.

New Orleans Spot Cotton.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. [illegible] steady [illegible] points [illegible] 26c [illegible] 24 [illegible] 2476 [illegible] stock, 284,874.

GRAIN AND PRODUCE

CHICAGO, Dec. 13.—A continued [illegible] of bullish sentiment [illegible] spurred by higher sterling quotations and the bright outlook for farm relief legislation, carried wheat prices up again at the opening today with [illegible] new high records for the season. A trade [illegible] view dwelling on the shortage of world [illegible] as compared with last year [illegible] buying to hold the market firm at the new advances in the early trade.

Opening quotations, which ranged from ¼ to ⅝c higher, with May $1.21½ to $1.22 and [illegible] were followed by moderate further gains.

Subsequently, purchasing on a broad scale developed and the market showed power to rally quickly from minor reactions due to profit taking on the part of holders. The close was unsettled 1⅛ to 2¼c net higher with May $1.22½ to ⅝ and [illegible] $1.14½ to ⅝.

Corn and oats climbed with wheat. May and July corn reached the topmost figures of this season. After opening unchanged to ⅛c higher, May 72¾ to 72c, the corn market scored upturns all around.

Free buying on the part of houses with eastern connections brought about further advances later. The close was firm, ⅛ to 1¼c net higher with May 73⅛ to ¼c.

Oats started unchanged to ⅛c off, May 44⅝c, and later showed a substantial advance.

Provisions were bearishly affected by weakness of hog values.

	Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT—				
Dec.	1.22¼	1.24½	1.22¼	1.24½
May	1.21½	1.23½	1.21½	1.22⅝
July	1.12⅛	1.15	1.12	1.14½
CORN—				
Dec.	.73	.74½	.72⅞	.73⅞
May	.71⅝	.73⅛	.71⅝	.73⅛
July	.71⅜	.72⅜	.71⅜	.72⅜
OATS—				
Dec.	.45	.45⅞	.44⅞	.45⅞
May	.44⅝	.45⅝	.44⅝	.45⅝
July	.41⅛	.42⅛	.41⅛	[illegible]
LARD—				
Jan.	9.97	10.17	9.85	10.15
May	10.27	10.45	10.25	10.42
RIBS—				
Jan.				10.30
May				10.00

Chicago Produce.

CHICAGO, Dec. 13.—Poultry alive, wet; fowls 11@20, springs 19½, stags 1[illegible], turkeys 25, geese 18. Butter lower; creamery extras [illegible]. Eggs higher; receipts 3472 cases, firsts 51@55.

Kansas City Cash Grain.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 13.—Wheat No. 2 hard, $1.17@1.25; No. 2 red, $1.24@1.25.

Corn: No. 3 white, 72; No. 2 yellow, 74½.

Oats: No. 2 white, 46½@47; No. 2 mixed 44½.

Sugar Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—Raw sugar centrifugal 5.78, refined easy, fine granulated 7.10.

LIVESTOCK

Fort Worth Livestock.

FORT WORTH, Dec. 13.—Cattle: 3.70; beeves, $4.00@5.50, stockers, $4.00@5.00, cows $2.50@5.00, canners $1.50@2.75, heifers, $3.00@ [illegible], yearlings [illegible], bulls, $2.00@4.00, calves, $2.00@5.50.

Hogs: [illegible] heavy [illegible] mixed [illegible] packers [illegible] lights [illegible] rough $4.00@8.00, pigs, $6.00@ [illegible]

Sheep: 150 [illegible] lambs, $7.50@14.00; yearlings, $5.00@11.00; wethers, $5.00@7.00; ewes, $4.00@5.00; culls, $1.00@2.00; stocker sheep, $3.50@ 5.50, feeder lambs, $6.50@11.00, goats, $1.00@3.00.

Kansas City Livestock.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 13.—Cattle: Receipts, 11,000, steady, beef steers top $13, mixed yearlings, $12.00, cows, $3.75@5.00, canners, $2.40@2.75, cutters, $2.75@3.75, bologna bulls, $3.50@4.00, vealers, $8.50@9.00, feeders, $6.25@6.90, stockers, $5.00@6.25.

Hogs: Receipts, 7,500; slow, top, $8.15, bulk of sales $7.30@8.10, packing sows, $7.00@7.30, stock pigs $[illegible]@7.90.

Sheep: Receipts 4,000; steady. Colorado lambs, $15.20; fed lambs, $14.75@15.15, light ewes, $6.50@ 7.30.

STOCKS AND FINANCIAL

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—Opening prices in today's stock market were irregular but the main trend was decidedly upward. There was good buying of copper shares. Kennecott, American Smelting and Anaconda are improving fractionally. National Lead advanced 1½. Republic Steel were in good demand, Pullman gaining 2 points, American Locomotive and Baldwin ½.

Rail shares were mixed. St. Paul preferred gaining a point and Canadian Pacific ½. New York Central declined a point and Texas and Pacific and Southern Railway preferred yielded fractionally.

Gains of a point also were scored by Crucible, Houston Oil and Pan-American oil. One of the early features was the continued strength of sterling, demand bills showing an overnight increase of 1⅝c, making preliminary quotations $4.64¼, another new high record.

Selling by disappointed holders on the failure of directors of the New York Central railroad to increase the quarterly dividend carried the price 2¼ points. Otis Elevator also slumped 1¼ and Woolworth 3½.

Elsewhere the market showed increasingly buoyancy with substantial advances continuing among the high priced shares. Fisher Body got up ten points and Mexican Petroleum and Jersey Central seven. Equipments were heavily absorbed, American Car rising 4½ and Baldwin 3 points.

The closing was strong. Sales approximated 900,000 shares.

New York Stocks.

Allied Chemical & Dye	75⅞
Allis-Chalmers	44
American Beet Sugar	41
American Can	72¼
American Car & Foundry	185½
American Hide & Leather pfd	63¼
American International Corp.	24
American Locomotive ex-div.	122½
American Smelting & Refg.	58¾
American Sugar	76¼
American Sumatra Tobacco	29
American T. & T.	122
American Tobacco	155¼
American Woolen	94
Anaconda Copper	49
Atchison	102½
Atl., Gulf & W. Indies	25
Baldwin Locomotive	127½
Baltimore & Ohio	43¼
Bethlehem Steel "B"	63¾
Canadian Pacific	144
Central Leather	[illegible]
Chandler Motors	61¼
Chesapeake & Ohio	68¾
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	22¼
Chicago, R. I. & Pac.	32⅞
[illegible] Copper	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]
Colorado Fuel & Iron	[illegible]
[illegible] Products	131
Crucible Steel	[illegible]
[illegible]	101
[illegible]	54½
General Asphalt	44⅞
[illegible]	[illegible]
General Motors	14
Goodrich Co.	[illegible]
Great Northern pfd.	[illegible]
Illinois Central	107
Inspiration Copper	35
International Harvester	[illegible]
Int. Mer. Marine pfd.	[illegible]
International Paper	[illegible]
[illegible] Oil	[illegible]
Kelly Springfield Tire	47
Kennecott Copper	35
Louisville & Nashville	131
Mexican Petroleum	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible] States Oil	[illegible]
[illegible] Steel	[illegible]
[illegible] Pacific	[illegible]
M. K. & T.	15
New York Central	92⅞
N. Y., N. H. and Hartford	22
Norfolk & Western	111⅛
Northern Pacific	77¼
Oklahoma Prod. & Ref.	3
[illegible]	46½
Pan American Petroleum	89⅞
Pennsylvania	46¼
Peoples Gas	93¼
Pure Oil	27¼
Ray Consolidated Copper	13⅞
Reading	77⅞
Rep. Iron & Steel	46
Royal Dutch, N. Y.	51
Sears Roebuck	83⅞
Sinclair Con. Oil	32
Southern Pacific	88⅞
Southern Railway	23⅞
Standard Oil of N. J.	194⅝
Studebaker Corporation	124½
[illegible] Copper	5⅞
Texas Co.	45
Texas & Pacific	21⅞
Tobacco Products	81
Transcontinental Oil	12⅞
Union Pacific	134½
United Retail Stores	64½
U. S. Ind. Alcohol	67⅞
United States Rubber	53⅞
United States Steel	104⅛
Utah Copper	63⅞
Westinghouse Electric	60⅞
Willys-Overland	6
Atlantic Coast Line	115¼
Coca Cola	77
Gulf States Steel	74⅞
Seaboard Air Line	5⅞
Sloss-Shef. Steel & Iron	49
United Fruit	158⅞
Virginia-Caro. Chem.	24⅞
American Zinc	13⅞

New York Money.

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—Call money easy; high 4½, low 4; ruling rate 4, closing bid 4, offered at 4½, last loan 4; call loans against acceptances 3¾. Time loans steady; 60-90 days 4¾@5; six months 4¾@5. Prime mercantile paper 4¾.

Foreign Exchange.

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—Foreign exchanges firm. Quotations in cents: Great Britain, demand 462, cables 463⅛, 60 day bills on banks 462 1-16. France demand 7.18, cables 7.19. Italy demand 5.06, cables 5.07. Belgium, demand 6.62, cables 6.63. Germany demand .0125, cables .0125. Holland, demand 40.03, cables 40.07. Norway, demand 19.17. Sweden demand 26.90. Denmark, demand 20.52. Switzerland, demand 18.92. Spain, demand 15.74. Greece demand 1.25. Poland, demand .0055. Czecho-Slovakia demand 3.18. Argentina demand 36.12. Brazil, demand 12.25. Montreal 99 7-16.

Liberty Bonds.

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—Liberty bonds closed: 3½s 100.74, second 4s [illegible], first 4¼s 98.48, second 4¼s [illegible], third 4¼s 98.66, fourth 4¼s [illegible], Victory 4¾s uncalled 100.44; called 100.08, U. S. treasury 4¼s 99.44.

Texas Spot Cotton.

DALLAS, Dec. 13.—Cotton steady, 24.70; Galveston 25.40; Houston 25.06.

Coffee Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—Rio No. 7, coffee [illegible]. Futures steady: December [illegible], May 9.27.

SEVERE WEATHER FAILS TO KEEP 'EM AWAY FROM ATTRACTION AT PALACE

Notwithstanding the severe weather, a good sized crowd witnessed the second performance of "What's Your Husband Doing?" at the Palace theatre Tuesday night and demonstrated their appreciation of this splendid play by frequent applause. This was in addition to the almost continuous laughter provoked by the many comedy situations with which the play abounds.

It is expected that the play will have a record run for the week, as those who have attended take pleasure in recommending it to their friends.

In addition to the nightly performances a matinee will be given Saturday afternoon at 2:30.

TWO MEN ARRESTED ON THEFT CHARGES MAKE BOND

Roy Calvert and R. F. Morgan, who were arrested Wednesday morning and Tuesday night respectively on charges of theft of property over the value of $50, were both released a short time after their arrest after perfecting bonds of $750 each. The arrest was made by the sheriff's department.

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W D LITTLER, OF FT WORTH, IS SUCCESSOR TO C M. DODGEN.

ASSUMES DUTIES OF HIS OFFICE ON WEDNESDAY

Receives Appointment Under New U S Marshal A. R Eldredge of Dallas.

W D Littler of Fort Worth arrived in Wichita Falls Tuesday evening and Wednesday morning presented his credentials and assumed the duties of the office of United States deputy marshal of the Wichita Falls division of the northwestern district of Texas.

Mr Littler succeeds Charles M Dodgen of this city to the office. Mr Dodgen was appointed to serve out the unexpired term of J M Allen a year ago.

With the selection of A R Eldredge of Fort Worth as United States marshal of the northwestern district of Texas under republican rule new deputies were appointed in the various districts.

Mr Littler received his appointment to the Wichita Falls division several days ago and unexpectedly arrived in this city Tuesday evening.

Wednesday morning he presented his credentials and immediately assumed his duties. He stated that he would not move his family to Wichita Falls at this time at least.

Mr Dodgen stated that he did not know what his future plans would be.

Woman Prisoner Tells Police She's Of Secret Service

A woman who was arrested on a vagrancy charge late Tuesday night pleaded not guilty in city court Wednesday and testified that she was here from Colorado in search of a man wanted there.

She explained that she had been employed by the secret service authorities to come here and bring the man back to Colorado.

When asked for her identification papers the woman said that she did not know that they were necessary and that she had not been given any.

She was assessed a fine of $5 upon the promise that she would stay off the streets at night as long as she remained in this city.

Another Mayor Elected Potentate by Shriners

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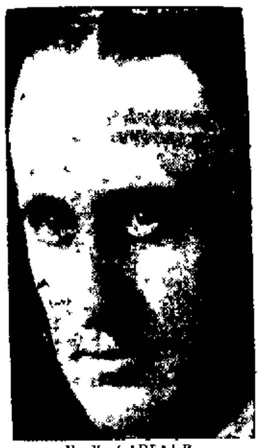

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Assistant Rabban

[illegible]
High Priest and Prophet

Frank Collier was unanimously elected Potentate of Maskat Temple, Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, at the annual meeting held in the Masonic Temple Tuesday evening.

L C Hawkins was elected chief rabban, W W Gardner assistant rabban, R L Shepherd high priest and prophet.

In view of the fact that Maskat draws its material from a considerable territory [illegible] thought had to be given [illegible] territory for a [illegible] among the line of officers [illegible] Texas [illegible]

W M [illegible] who has been [illegible]

inauguration [illegible] requested before he [illegible] that his [illegible] were [illegible] Jones unanimously [illegible] fill the station [illegible] the installation [illegible] has been [illegible] of the ceremonial [illegible] was [illegible] elected as [illegible] of the temple W D [illegible] the retiring potentate Frank [illegible] L C Hawkins of Vernon [illegible] Earl Ramsey [illegible] Washington [illegible] added to the

meeting by a hearty joining in of popular and old time songs under the leadership of R. L. Shephard.

At the close of the election the officers were installed into their respective offices by Past Potentate Cline.

Reports showed that the temple now has a membership of 1476.

TO DISCUSS MODE AND DESIGN OF BAPTISM

Next Sunday morning at 11 00 o'clock R D Smith the minister of the Church of Christ will speak on the subject, "The Mode or Form of Baptism."

The commands of our Saviour should always be regarded with all seriousness. And we remember that he said just before leaving this world for that eternal, Go ye into all the world and preach the gospel to every creature He that believeth and is baptized shall be saved."

We cordially invite all who are interested in our Saviour's commands to come and study these two subjects with us. It is desired to assure all who may have a desire to hear these subjects that it is not the purpose to indulge in low coarse slang nor in abusive language against those who may differ with us. It is our earnest purpose to present the truth on the subjects as best we can and to leave it to our hearers to judge as to our efforts.

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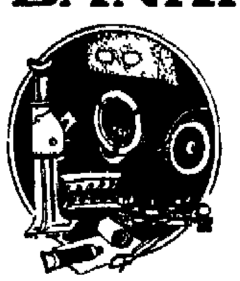

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